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| | ARC | ARC | ARC | ARC |
|----------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Test Number: | 562-2-11 | 562-3-11 | 562-4-11 | 562-5-11 |
| NASA Series Number: | OS-311-1 | OS-311-2 | OS-311-3 | OS-311-4 |
| Model No. of Test Fixture: | 96-0 | 96-0 | 96-0 | 96-0 |
| Test Start Date: | 1-28-83 | 3-3-83 | 4-12-83 | 6-12-83 |
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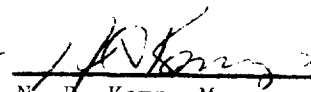
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ABSTRACT

An experimental investigation (OS-311) was conducted in four parts in the NASA/Ames Research Center 11x11-foot Transonic Wind Tunnel. The objective was to investigate AFRSI installation designs and support the determination of MR/DR criteria. The first test (OS-311-1) was conducted on January 28, 1983, the second test (OS-311-2) on March 3 through 7, 1983, the third test (OS-311-3) on April 12 and 13, 1983, and the final test (OS-311-4) on June 12, 1983. AFRSI material, configured on small test panels for application design, repairs, contamination, and MR/DR criteria evaluation were subjected to ascent aerodynamic shock loading environments which resulted in qualitative evaluation of the various configurations tested. The transonic compression shock fixture, 96-O, was used to generate the aerodynamic loading environment. Twenty-seven runs were completed during 68 hours of occupancy. Of the 27 test articles, only nine were exposed to thermal conditions prior to the wind tunnel test, and one was exposed to the actual STS-6 flight. During each of the four phases of Test OS-311, local fixture static pressures on each side of the test article were measured and recorded. Fluctuating pressure data was also obtained during these tests.

All test objectives were met. This report contains information on the conduct of Test OS-311, description of the test fixture, and the specimen, the test facility, instrumentation, and a sample of the pressure data collected during the test. Post-test pictures of the test fixture and the AFRSI test articles are also included.

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INTRODUCTION

Advanced Flexible Reusable Surface Insulation (AFRSI) has replaced white TPS tile on parts of OV-099 and OV-103. The purpose of the test was to obtain data to assist in the selection of installation designs and the determination of MR/DR criteria.

The test was conducted using the 96-O test fixture to generate the required flow field over the AFRSI test articles. The leading edge flap of the test fixture was set at 18 degrees during the entire test and the AFRSI specimens were exposed to the ascent airloads environment until failure, or for a simulation of 100 missions (42 minutes). The aerodynamic shock environment used in the Ames Research Center 11x11-foot Transonic Wind Tunnel was an expansion/recompression shock generated by the leading edge flap on the 96-O test fixture at free stream Mach numbers from 0.8 to 0.88. The tunnel free stream stagnation pressure was set to simulate the ascent flow field and aerodynamic loading over the orbiter canopy.

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NOMENCLATURE

| <u>SYMBOL</u> | <u>MNEMONIC</u> | <u>DEFINITION</u> |
|---------------|-----------------|---|
| C_p | CP | Pressure coefficient |
| dB | DB | Sound pressure level, dB (Decibel) |
| M | Mach | Freestream Mach number |
| P_∞ | P | Freestream static pressure, psia |
| P_ℓ | PL | Local static pressure, psia |
| P_{RMS} | PRMS | Local fluctuating pressure, PSI RMS |
| P_t | PT | Freestream total pressure, psia |
| q | Q | Freestream dynamic pressure, psf |
| Re | RE | Freestream Reynolds number, per ft |
| T_s | TS | Freestream static temperature, °F |
| T_t | TT | Freestream total temperature, °F |
| V_∞ | VEL | Freestream velocity, ft/sec |
| X | X | Longitudinal distance positive, inches aft of test article leading edge |
| Y | Y | Lateral distance positive, inches right of fixture centerline |
| δ_F | FLAP | Test fixture flap setting, degrees |
| ρ | RHO | Freestream density, slugs/ft ³ |

Other symbology includes:

| | |
|-------|---|
| AFRSI | Advanced Flexible Reusable Surface Insulation |
| OML | Outer Mold Line |
| IML | Inner Mold Line |
| TOC | Time on Condition |
| DR | Discrepancy Report |
| MR | Material Review |
| RMS | Root-Mean Square |

REMARKS

During the initial phase of Test OS-311-1, of the original nine test articles scheduled to be tested, only two were completed. Neither of the two panels were damaged after 42 minutes on-condition. The remaining seven test articles were rescheduled during Test OS-311-2.

On Test OS-311-2, of the 15 test articles, six were damaged prior to obtaining 42 minutes on-condition. (See Test Summary, Table VI.)

CONFIGURATION INVESTIGATED

Model Description

The 96-0 test fixture was used for Test OS-311. The test fixture, shown in Figures 2.a and 2.b, consists of a flap mounted at the leading edge of a specimen holding frame, two side plates, and a sealed pressure box enclosing the space beneath the holding frame. The function of the leading edge flap is to cause an expansion shock ahead of the test article, followed by a recompression shock region with attendant positive pressure gradients and high turbulence levels over the test article.

The mechanism employed to produce the desired expansion/recompression shocks was a full-span, 15-inch chord flap located at the forward end of the test panel. For this test, a turnbuckle replaced the hydraulic cylinder and was adjusted to lock the flap at 18 degrees. The fixture had end plates to make the flow field in the test area two-dimensional. The end plates (98 x 56 inches) extended from a height of three feet above the top of the test panel all the way to the floor, and were supported from underneath. The beveled leading edges were located 26 inches forward of the test specimen's leading edge.

A sealed pressure box enclosed the area under the panel. The box was vented to the tunnel plenum chamber. Also, shims and spacers were available for the test article to bring its leading edge flush with the surface of the fixture. These were intended to compensate for the 6.54-inch depth of the supporting frame inside the test fixture.

CONFIGURATION INVESTIGATED (Concluded)

Test Article

Model 127-O designates 27 test articles, Table V, which were made up of a support plate, the AFRSI bonded to the support plate, and a frame which protected and held the AFRSI edges. When installed, the frame of the test specimen was flush with the adjacent surface of the fixture to the extent possible, particularly at the leading edge. Figures 2.c and 2.d illustrate the model configuration.

Test Specimens

The AFRSI blankets consisted of silica fiber felt (Q-felt) insulation material with a silica cloth covering and a glass cloth back lining, all quilted together with quartz thread in a one-inch square grid pattern. The quilting was done with a modified lock stitch. The outer covering (OML) was made of a heavy cover fabric which is approximately 0.027-inch thick (19.5 oz/yd² silica fabric). The batting used for these specimens was silica batting (six lb/cu ft). The inner cover (IML) was made of a 0.010-inch thick light cover (six oz/yd² S-glass fabric). The OML threads used were Q24 silica thread while the IML threads were made of E-glass threads. A sketch of a test specimen assembly is shown in Figures 2.c and 2.d.

INSTRUMENTATION

Data recorded during Test OS-311 were measured by Scanivalves attached to static pressure orifices and dynamic pressure transducers (Kulites).

Static Pressure

The test fixture was instrumented with 28 static pressure taps, fourteen on each side of the test specimen area. These 28 static pressure ports were connected to six scanivalve (one six-pack) as shown in Table IV. The instrumentation location for the 96-O test fixture is shown in Figure 1 and presented in Table III. Data from these taps were recorded during all runs. Rockwell supplied all necessary tubing, transducers, scanivalves, and associated cabling.

Fluctuating Pressure

The 96-O test fixture was instrumented with fourteen Kulite transducers to measure peripheral fluctuating pressures. Their locations are shown in Figure 1 and listed in Table III. The reference tube of all Kulites were connected to a common manifold which was vented to the tunnel static pressure. All power supplies and signal conditioning equipment associated with the Kulite transducers were supplied by ARC. Tunnel static pressure was recorded on tape with the Kulite data.

TEST FACILITY DESCRIPTION

The NASA Ames Research Center 11-ft Transonic Wind Tunnel is the transonic leg of the Ames Unitary Facility. It is a closed circuit, single return, continuous flow, variable-density tunnel. The 11x11x22-ft test section is slotted to permit transonic testing. The nozzle has adjustable sidewalls. The tunnel air is driven by a three-stage axial flow compressor powered by four wound-rotor induction motors. The speed of the motors is varied as necessary to provide the desired Mach number. The motors have a combined output of 180,000 horsepower for continuous operation or 216,000 horsepower for one hour. Tunnel temperature is controlled by aftercoolers and a cooling tower. Four 30,000 cubic-foot storage tanks provide dry air for tunnel pressurization.

The tunnel can be operated at nominal Mach numbers of 0.5 to 1.4 Reynolds number per foot $\times 10^{-6}$ of 1.7 to 9.4, dynamic pressure (PSF) of 150 to 2,000 and a total temperature ($^{\circ}\text{F}$) of 540 to 610, respectively.

This tunnel is used for force and moment, pressure, internal air-flow inlet, and dynamic stability tests.

TEST PROCEDURES

During each of the four phases of Test OS-311, the procedure was to test each AFRSI test article to failure, or for 42 minutes (equivalent of 100 ascent missions with a scatter factor of 4). After the test article was inspected and the tunnel door was closed, the tunnel was pumped down to 28 inches of Mercury for a Scanivalve check. The tunnel was then pumped up to 33 inches of Mercury and the tunnel drive was started. The television and Kulite recorders were turned on and static pressures were recorded continually as the tunnel was being brought to $M = 0.80$. In all instances, the flap was kept at a constant angle of 18 degrees.

As q reached 400 psf, the environment exposure time was started. After the Mach reached 0.8, the tunnel cycled Mach from 0.8 to 0.88, and back to 0.8 as time would allow. When the test article lasted for 100 missions, the tunnel was brought off-line so that the time that q was above 400 psf would be equal to 42 minutes. If the test article failed, a fast stop would be initiated as soon as the failure occurred. In all cases, the exposure time stopped when q became less than 400 psf. The Kulite and television recorders were then turned off and the test article was inspected after the tunnel door was opened.

The amount of time that each panel was exposed to a dynamic pressure greater than or equal to 400 psf during this test was approximately 42 minutes, or an equivalent of 100 missions. During Phase 2, seven of the specimens were exposed to less than 42 minutes on condition as shown in the Test Summary, Table VI, and in the actual Run Schedule, Table II. A summary of test conditions is shown in Table I, and a comparison of the ascent airloads environment to which the test articles were exposed at is shown in Figure 3.

DATA REDUCTION

Standard tunnel equations were used for computing all tunnel conditions.

All local static pressure data were reduced to standard pressure coefficient form using the following equation:

$$C_p = \frac{(P_L - P) \times 144}{q}$$

Typical pressure coefficient data is shown in Figure 3.

Fluctuating pressure data were recorded on magnetic tape and reduced during and after the test.

Local fluctuating pressure data were reduced to dB form as follows:

$$dB = 10 \text{ Log}_{10} \frac{P_{RMS} \times 10^9}{2.94}^2$$

REFERENCE

1. R. B. Kingsland, STS83-0084, "Pre-Test Information for the AFRSI Application Design Issues Test OS-311 in the Ames Research Center (ARC) 11x11-ft Wind Tunnel Using Model 127-O Installed in the 96-O Test Fixture" (January 1983)

TABLE I

TEST CONDITIONS - OS-311

 $P_T = \text{CONSTANT} = 33 \text{ IN.HG} / 16.14 \text{ PSI} / 2326 \text{ PSF}$

| MACH | P_s | | | q | | |
|------|-------|-------|------|--------|------|-----|
| | IN.HG | PSI | PSF | IN.HG. | PSI | PSF |
| .55 | 26.89 | 13.15 | 1894 | 5.68 | 2.78 | 400 |
| .80 | 21.55 | 10.59 | 1525 | 9.70 | 4.74 | 683 |
| .82 | 21.22 | 10.38 | 1495 | 9.99 | 4.88 | 704 |
| .84 | 20.79 | 10.17 | 1464 | 10.27 | 5.02 | 723 |
| .86 | 20.36 | 9.96 | 1434 | 10.54 | 5.16 | 743 |
| .88 | 19.35 | 9.75 | 1404 | 10.81 | 5.29 | 761 |

Post Test Run Schedule (ARC 11 x 11-foot) OS-311-1

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POST TEST RUN SCHEDULE (ARC 11X11-FOOT) OS-311-2

DATE: MARCH 4, 2, 1963

DATA SET/RUN NUMBER COLLATION SUMMARY

TEST :

| RUN # | CONFIGURATION I.B | SCHD. | | PARAMETERS/VALUES | | | | TOC (min) | MACH NUMBERS (OR ALTERNATE INDEPENDENT VARIABLE) | | | | | | TEST RUN NUMBERS | |
|---------|----------------------|-------|---|-------------------|----------------|----------------|-----|--------------|--|-----|-----|-----|---|--|------------------|---|
| | | A | B | Sc | P ₁ | P ₂ | .90 | | .92 | .94 | .96 | .98 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | TA 311B-5 | | | | 18° | 33 | | 42 | ✓ | | | | ✓ | | | ✓ |
| 7 | 311B-6 | | | | 18° | 33 | | 37 | ✓ | | | | ✓ | | | ✓ |
| 8 | 311B-7 | | | | 18° | 33 | | 42 | ✓ | | | | ✓ | | | ✓ |
| 10 | 311B-15 | | | | 18° | 33 | | 13 | ✓ | | | | ✓ | | | ✓ |
| 11 | 311B-14 | | | | 18° | 33 | | 42 | ✓ | | | | ✓ | | | ✓ |
| 12 | 311B-4 | | | | 18° | 33 | | 11 | ✓ | | | | ✓ | | | ✓ |
| 13 | 311B-11 | | | | 18° | 33 | | 8 | ✓ | | | | | | | |
| 14 | 311B-2 | | | | 18° | 33 | | 42 | ✓ | | | | ✓ | | | ✓ |
| 15 | 311B-3 | | | | 18° | 33 | | 42 | ✓ | | | | ✓ | | | ✓ |
| 16 | 311B-1 | | | | 18° | 33 | | 42 | ✓ | | | | ✓ | | | ✓ |
| 17 | 311B-8 | | | | 18° | 33 | | 6 | ✓ | | | | ✓ | | | |
| 18 | 311B-9 | | | | 18° | 33 | | 42 | ✓ | | | | ✓ | | | ✓ |
| 19 | 311B-12 | | | | 18° | 33 | | 42 | ✓ | | | | ✓ | | | ✓ |
| 20 & 21 | 311B-13 | | | | 18° | 33 | | 42 | ✓ | | | | ✓ | | | ✓ |
| 22 | 311B-10 | | | | 18° | 33 | | 8 | ✓ | | | | ✓ | | | ✓ |

| TYPE OF DATA | ON OR β | SCHEDULES |
|---------------------|---------------|-----------|
| 1. β values | 1 | 1 |
| 2. β values | 2 | 2 |
| 3. β values | 3 | 3 |
| 4. β values | 4 | 4 |
| 5. β values | 5 | 5 |
| 6. β values | 6 | 6 |
| 7. β values | 7 | 7 |
| 8. β values | 8 | 8 |
| 9. β values | 9 | 9 |
| 10. β values | 10 | 10 |
| 11. β values | 11 | 11 |
| 12. β values | 12 | 12 |
| 13. β values | 13 | 13 |
| 14. β values | 14 | 14 |
| 15. β values | 15 | 15 |
| 16. β values | 16 | 16 |
| 17. β values | 17 | 17 |
| 18. β values | 18 | 18 |
| 19. β values | 19 | 19 |
| 20. β values | 20 | 20 |
| 21. β values | 21 | 21 |
| 22. β values | 22 | 22 |
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| 92. β values | 92 | 92 |
| 93. β values | 93 | 93 |
| 94. β values | 94 | 94 |
| 95. β values | 95 | 95 |
| 96. β values | 96 | 96 |
| 97. β values | 97 | 97 |
| 98. β values | 98 | 98 |
| 99. β values | 99 | 99 |
| 100. β values | 100 | 100 |

TOC - TIME ON CONDITION EFFICIENT SCHEDULES
V - DATA POINT

IDVAR (1) IDVAR (2) NOV

Post Test Run Schedule (ARC 11 x 11-foot) OS-311-3

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TABLE II.d

POST TEST RUN SCHEDULE (ARC 11 X 11-FOOT)

| TEST: 05311-4 | | DATA SET/RUN NUMBER COLLATION SUMMARY | | | | | | | | | | DATE: JUNE 12, 1963 | | |
|--|---------------|---------------------------------------|----|-------------------|----|----|----|----|-------------------------|--------------|----|---------------------|---|---|
| DATA SET IDENTIFIER | CONFIGURATION | SCHD. | | PARAMETERS/VALUES | | | | | EXPOSURE TIME MIN. SEC. | MACH NUMBERS | | | | |
| | | a | B | RA | SA | PA | MA | MA | | MA | MA | | | |
| 4 | T/A 311-4-1 | | | 18° | 33 | | | | 42 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| 5 | T/A 311-4-3 | | | 18° | 33 | | | | 43 20 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| 6 | T/A 311-4-4 | | | 18° | 33 | | | | 43 35 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| 7 | T/A 311-4-5 | | | 18° | 33 | | | | 40 49 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| 8 | T/A 311-4-6 | | | 18° | 33 | | | | 42 53 | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| NOTE: MACH NO. WAS CYCLED BACK AND FORTH FROM 0.50 TO 0.84 TO 0.80 FOR 242 MIN. DATA WAS TAKEN AT EACH MACH NO. (SEE TEST CHRONOLOGY). | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | 13 | 19 | 25 | 31 | 37 | 43 | 49 | 55 | 61 | 67 | 73 | 76 | | |
| COEFFICIENTS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| IDVAR (1) IDVAR (2) IDV | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| a OR b | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| SCHEDULES | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

TABLE III

INSTRUMENTATION LOCATION, FIXTURE 96-0

| X \ Y | STATIC TAPS | | | | | | Kulites at Y=16 |
|-------|-------------|-----|--|--|--|-----|--------------------|
| | | -16 | | | | 16 | |
| 0 | | 201 | | | | 101 | |
| 1 | | 202 | | | | 102 | K1 |
| 2 | | 203 | | | | 103 | K2 |
| 4 | | 204 | | | | 104 | K3 |
| 6 | | 205 | | | | 105 | K4 |
| 8 | | 206 | | | | 106 | K5 |
| 10 | | 207 | | | | 107 | K6 |
| 12 | | 208 | | | | 108 | K7 |
| 14 | | 209 | | | | 109 | K8 |
| 16 | | 210 | | | | 110 | K9 |
| 18 | | 211 | | | | 111 | K10 |
| 20 | | 212 | | | | 112 | K11 |
| 24 | | 213 | | | | 113 | K12 |
| 30 | | | | | | | K13 |
| 36 | | 214 | | | | 114 | K14 |
| | | | | | | | |

TABLE IV

SCANIVALVE ORIFICE ASSIGNMENT

| PORT | MEASUREMENT NUMBER | | | | | |
|------|--------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | DRIVE VALUE | | | | | |
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| 0 | REF | — | — | — | — | → |
| 1 | CAL | — | — | — | — | → |
| 2 | 101 | 102 | 103 | 104 | 105 | 106 |
| 3 | 107 | 108 | 109 | 110 | 111 | 112 |
| 4 | 113 | 114 | 201 | 202 | 203 | 204 |
| 5 | 205 | 206 | 207 | 208 | 209 | 210 |
| 6 | 211 | 212 | 213 | 214 | — | — |

96-O TEST FIXTURE

11-FT TUNNEL (OS-311)

TABLE V.a

TEST ARTICLE DESCRIPTION OS-311-1

| <u>I.D.</u> | <u>NAME</u> | <u>DETAILED DESCRIPTION</u> |
|-------------|--------------------------|---|
| A-2 | MIN BOND PRESS | AFRSI APPLIED WITH MIN BOND PRESS ~1 PSI |
| A-3 | MIN BOND PRESS + PLUG | SAME AS A-2 PLUS REPAIR PLUG WITH 1/4 PSI BOND PRESS |

TABLE V.b

TEST ARTICLE DESCRIPTION OS-311-2

| <u>I.D.</u> | <u>NAME</u> | <u>DETAILED DESCRIPTION</u> |
|-------------|-----------------------------|---|
| B-1 | F/B-Pad Bond | 6" Strip: No Bond Filler Bar-to-Blanket |
| B-2 | T/C Stitchlines | IML Stitchlines only were transfer-coated. |
| B-3 | 56% Bond | Only $\approx 56\%$ of IML surface bonded to plate. |
| B-4 | Grease, RTV + 1500°F | Exposed to one cycle at 1500°F in plasma Arc - grease on fabric and RTV spots. |
| B-5 | Narrow Strip | 1.25" wide blanket evaluated. |
| B-6 | Thick Pad | 1.94" thick pad fabricated by RI's AMT. |
| B-7 | Gypsum | Several weeks outdoor exposure at WSTF. |
| B-8 | Salt Spray (HS + 1800°F) | 5 cycles at 1800°F in plasma Arc, $\approx 2.4\text{g}/\text{M}^2$ salt (year exposure). |
| B-9 | Salt Spray (NS + 1800°F) | 5 cycles at 1800°F in plasma Arc: No salt |
| B-10 | Salt spray (HS + 1500°F) | 5 Cycles at 1500°F in plasma Arc, $\approx 2.4\text{g}/\text{M}^2$ salt (year exposure) |
| B-11 | Salt spray (NS + 1500°F) | 5 cycles at 1500°F in plasma Arc: No salt |
| B-12 | 1/8" Holes | 1/8" Puncture holes - damage evaluation |
| B-13 | Thick Pad | Duplicate of 311B-6 |
| B-14 | RTV + 1500°F | Exposed to one cycle at 1500°F in plasma Arc - RTV bleedthrough & spill |
| B-15 | 1500°F | Exposed to one cycle at 1500°F in plasma Arc |

TABLE V.c

TEST ARTICLE DESCRIPTION OS-311-3

| <u>I.D.</u> | <u>T/A NAME</u> | <u>DETAILED DESCRIPTION</u> |
|-------------|------------------|---|
| C-1 | CUT REPAIR | 1/2" CUT REPAIR: LOOP STITCHING |
| C-2 | DAMAGE ALLOWABLE | 1/4" OML CUTS |
| C-3 | GAP FILLERS | RECESSED PILLOW-TYPE GAP FILLERS |
| C-4 | GAP FILLERS | RECESSED SOLID CORD (0.90", 0.160") GAP FILLERS |
| C-5 | SIDEWALL REPAIR | FABRIC (0.011") SIDEWALL REPAIR |

TABLE V.d

TEST ARTICLE DESCRIPTION OS-311-4

| <u>I.D.</u> | <u>NAME</u> | <u>DETAILED DESCRIPTION</u> |
|-------------|---------------------------------|--|
| 4-1 | Hi Fiber 1" Stitching | Control Panel No Thermal Exposure |
| 4-3 | Hi Fiber 1" Stitching | Bird Dropping |
| 4-4 | Hi Fiber 1" Stitching | Salt spray and plasma ARC thermal exposure to 1500°F |
| 4-5 | Hi Fiber 1" Stitching | Salt spray and plasma ARC thermal exposure to 1800°F |
| 4-6 | STS-6 Flight OMS Pod Blanket | STS-6 flight blanket repaired seams |

TABLE VI
OS-311 TEST SUMMARY

| <u>Test Article</u> | <u>Δ Time q=400 psf to M=0.80</u> | <u>Number of Cycles M=.8→.88→.8</u> | <u>Time q=400 psf to Tunnel Start Off Line (Min.)</u> | <u>Exposed Time q=400 Going Up to q=400 Going Down (Min.)</u> | <u>* Post-Test Condition</u> |
|---------------------|---|---|---|---|----------------------------------|
| A-2 | 3 | 4.5 | 40 | 41 | (1) |
| A-3 | 3 | 5 | 41 | 43 | (1) |
| B-1 | 2 | 5 | 40 | 42 | No Change |
| B-2 | 4 | 3.5 | 40 | 43 | No Change |
| B-3 | 2 | 4.5 | 39 | 41 | No Change |
| B-4 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 11 | (2) |
| B-5 | 2 | 7.5 | 41 | 43 | No Change |
| B-6 | 5 | 2 | 26 | 26 | (3) |
| B-7 | 2 | 5 | 40 | 41 | No Change |
| B-8 | 3 | 0 | 6 | 6 | (4) |
| B-9 | 2 | 4 | 40 | 42 | No Change |
| B-10 | 2 | 1 | 8 | 8 | (5) |
| B-11 | 2 | 0 | 8 | 8 | (6) |
| B-12 | 2 | 5 | 40 | 42 | No Change |
| B-13 | 3 | 0 | 6 | 6 | (7) |
| (Run 20) | | | | | |
| B-13 | 2 | 5 | 34 | 36 | No Change |
| (Run 21) | | | | | |
| B-13 | 5 | 5 | 40 | 42 | No Change |
| (Total) | | | | | |
| C-1 | 2 | 3 | 40 | 42 | No Change |
| C-2 | 3 | 7 | 40 | 42 | No Change |
| C-3 | 2 | 4 | 41 | 42 | No Change |
| C-4 | 2 | 3.5 | 39 | 42 | No Change |
| C-5 | 2 | 9.5 | 40 | 42 | (9) |
| 4-1 | 8 | 2.75 | 39 | 42 | No Change |
| 4-3 | 7 | 4 | 41 | 42 | (10) |
| 4-4 | 5 | 4.5 | 40 | 43 | (11) |
| 4-5 | 3 | 5 | 38 | 41 | (11) |
| 4-6 | 8 | 5.3 | 41 | 43 | No Change |

*See notations on following page.

TABLE VI (Concluded)
OS-311 TEST SUMMARY

- (1) A-2/A-3 Slight lifting or separation at joints.
- (2) B-2 OML cover lost aft left hand side.
- (3) B-6 OML cover out from under trailing edge frame.
- (4) B-8 OML cover and matting lost forward right side.
- (5) B-10 OML cover and matting lost aft half.
- (6) B-11 OML cover and matting lost aft left hand side.
- (7) B-13 OML cover pulled out from under trailing frame during
Run 20, stopped, repaired, and ran again as Run 21.
- (8) B-15 Lost all OML cover and matting.
- (9) C-5 Torn repair.
- (10) 4-3 Two rips not related to bird's deposit locations.
- (11) 4-4/4-5 Broken Threads

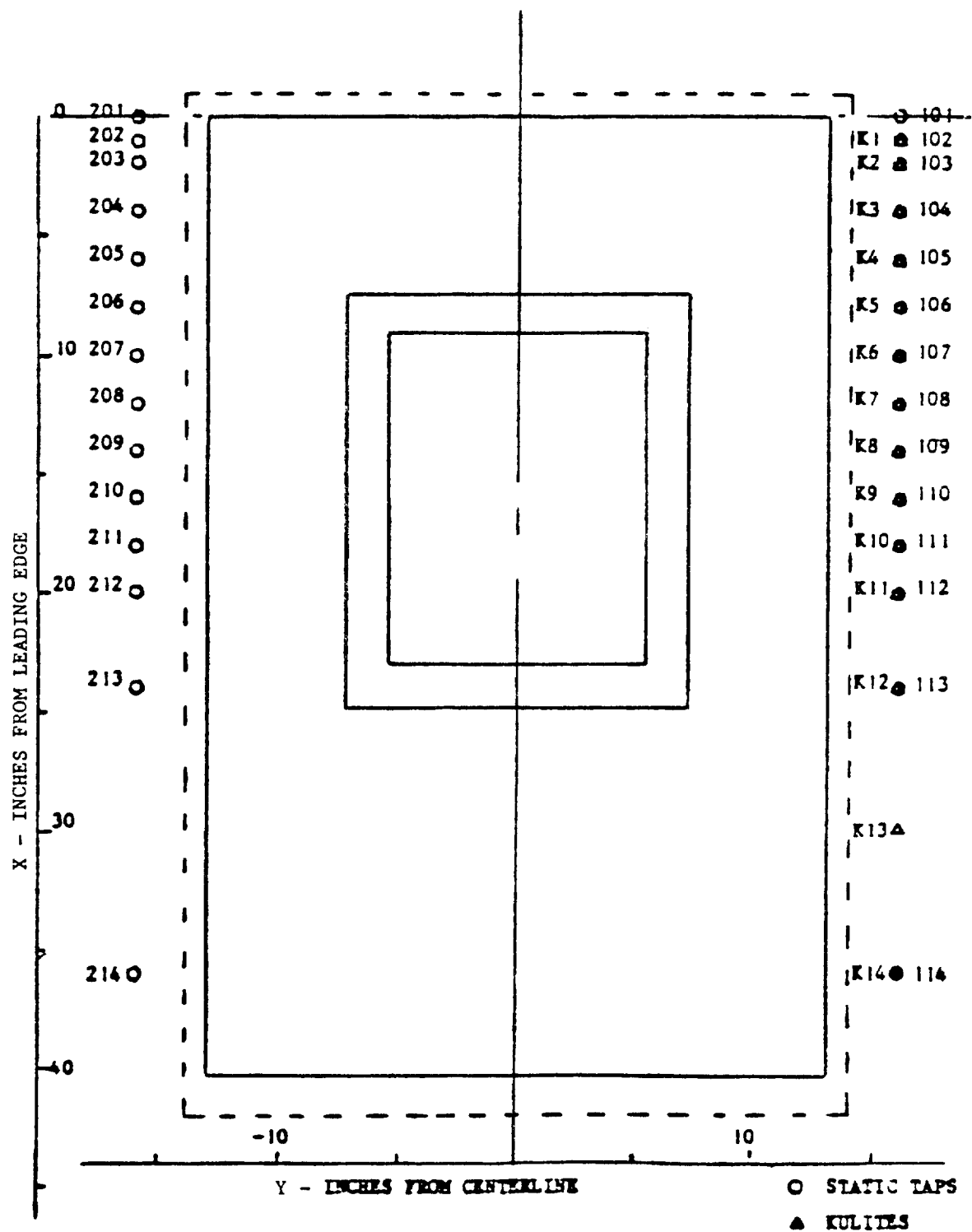


FIGURE 1 INSTRUMENTATION LOCATION & AXES
96-Ø TEST FIXTURE

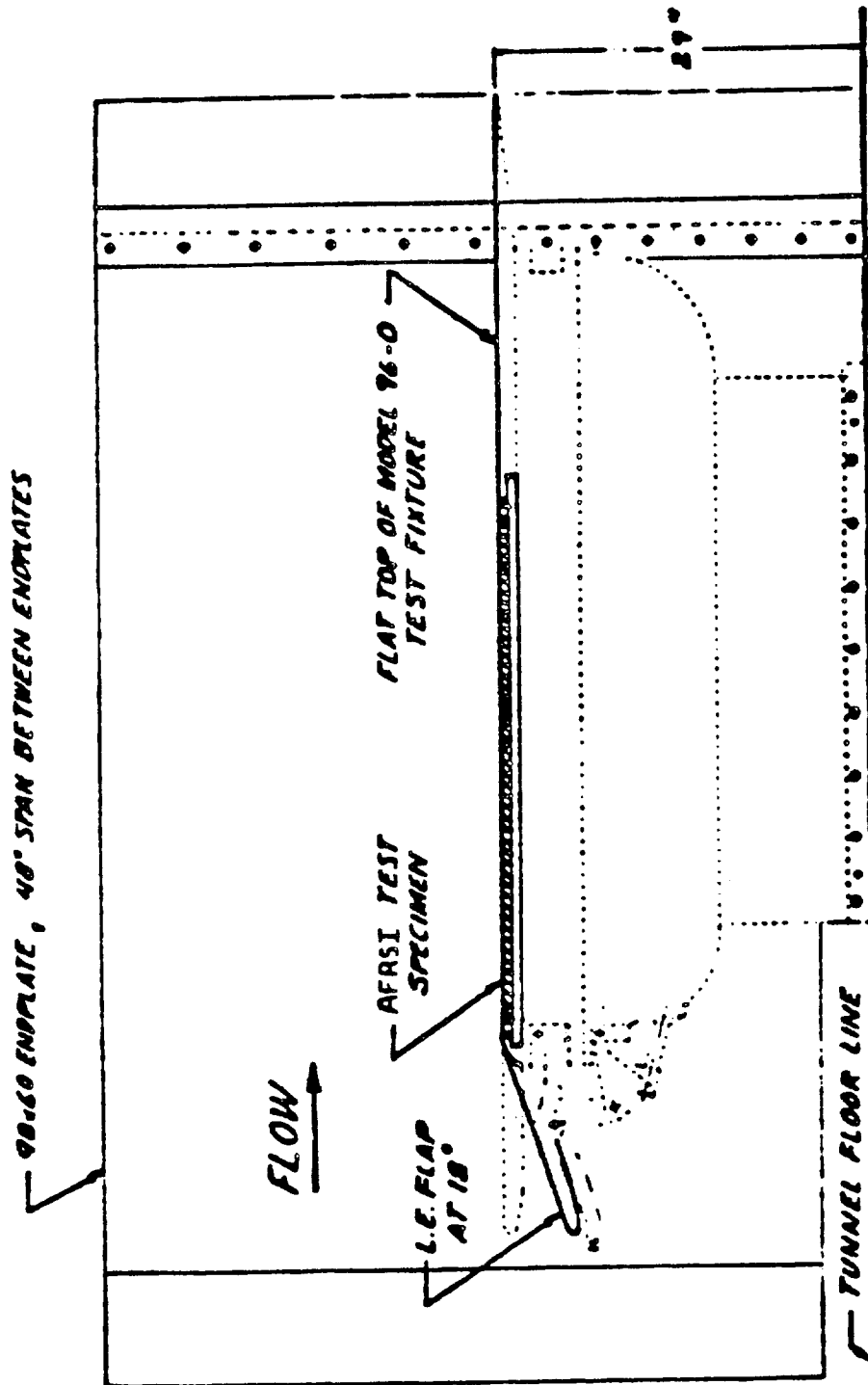


FIGURE 2.a MODEL 96-Ø TEST FIXTURE GENERAL ARRANGEMENT OS311

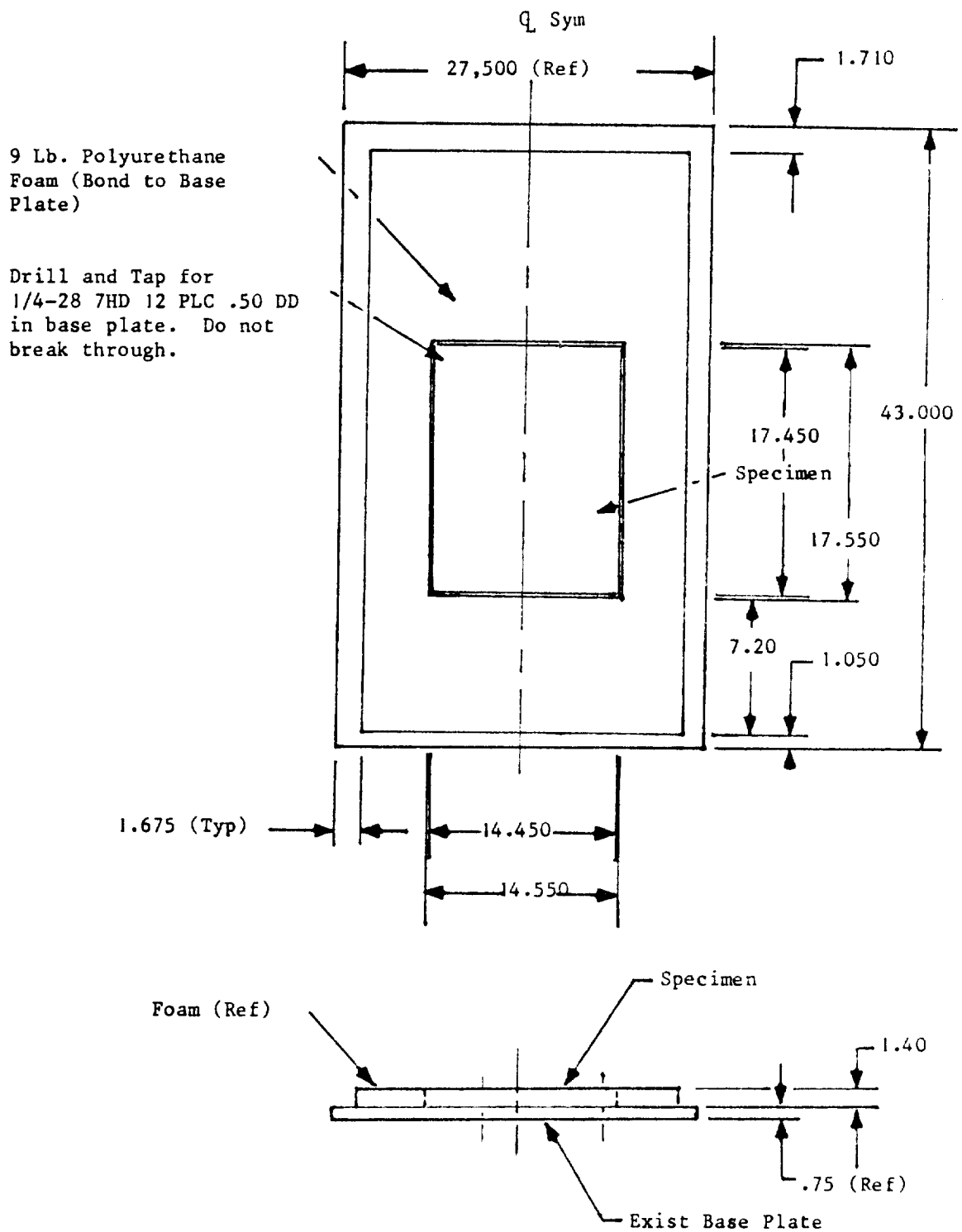
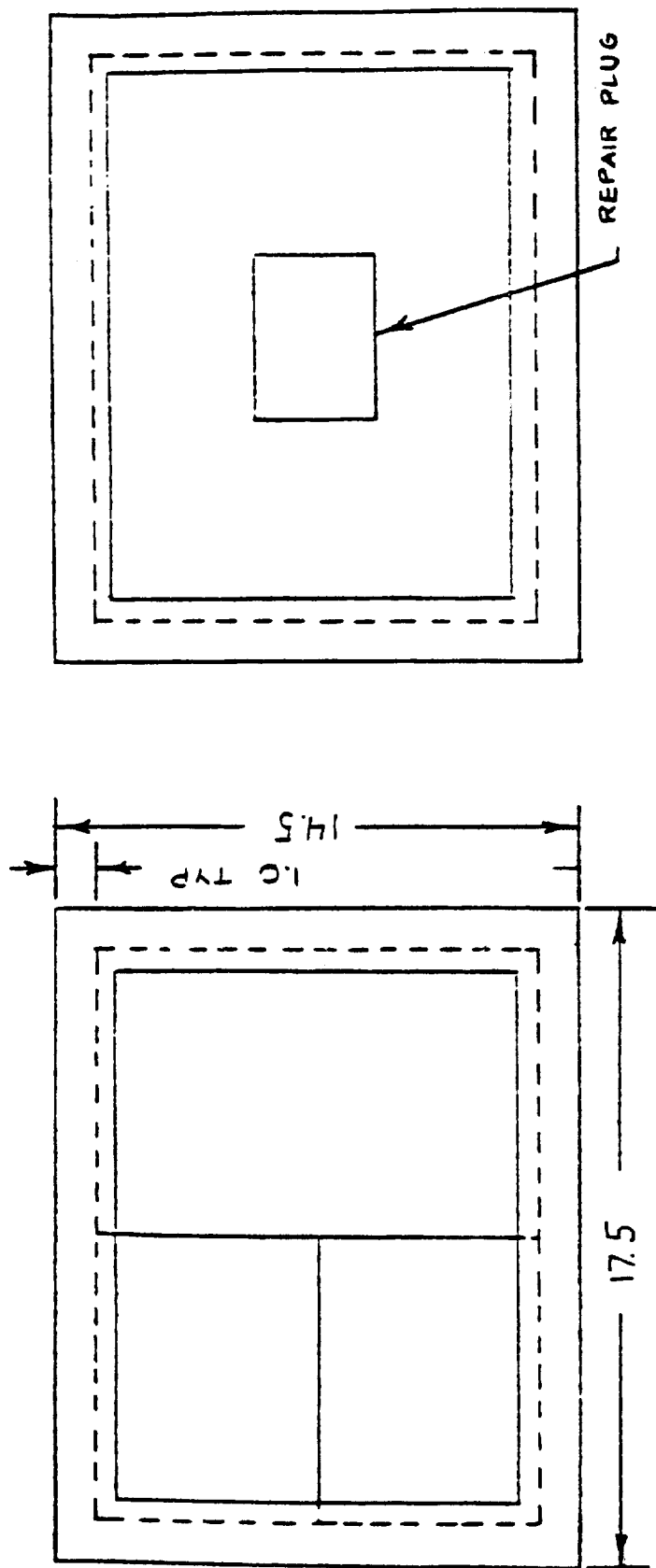
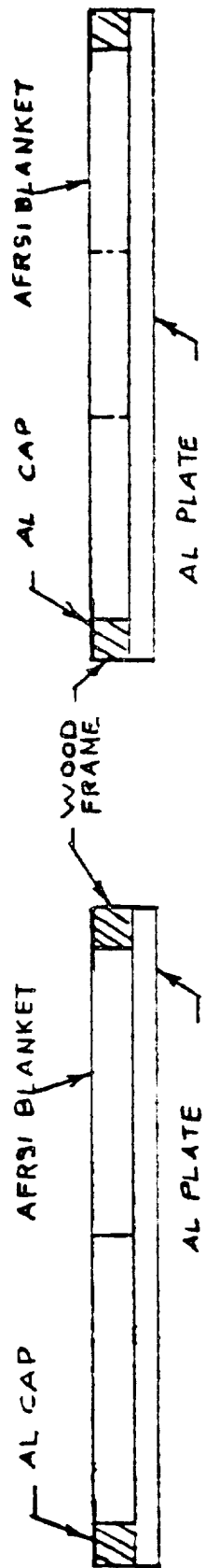


FIGURE 2.b MODEL 96-O FIXTURE HOLDING PANEL



WIND
FLOW



NOTE: CURRENT MIN. BONDING
PRESSURE (MPP 60GM317 MOI) IS
1 PSI.

FIGURE 2.d TEST ARTICLE A-3 LAYOUT

FIGURE 2.c TEST ARTICLE A-2 LAYOUT

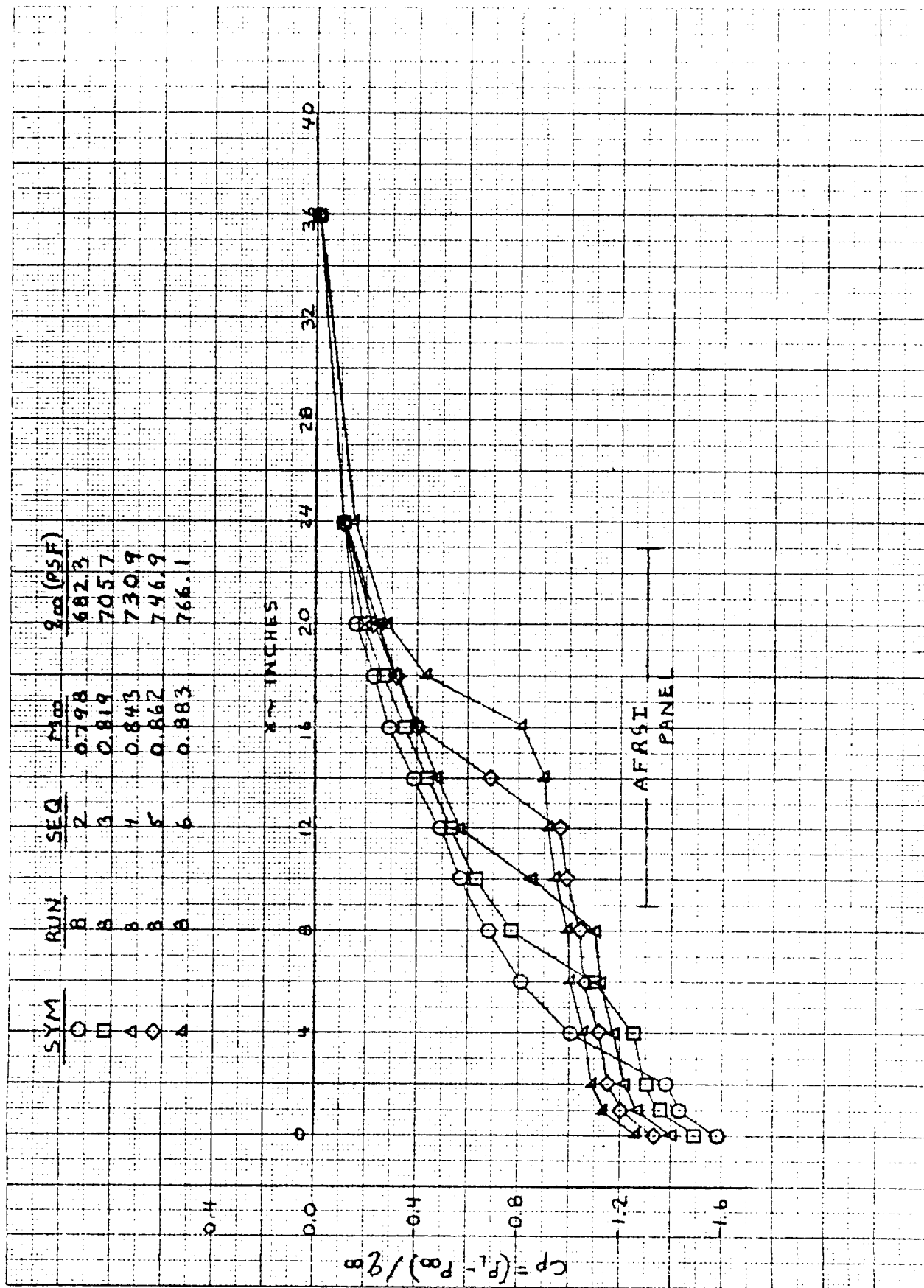
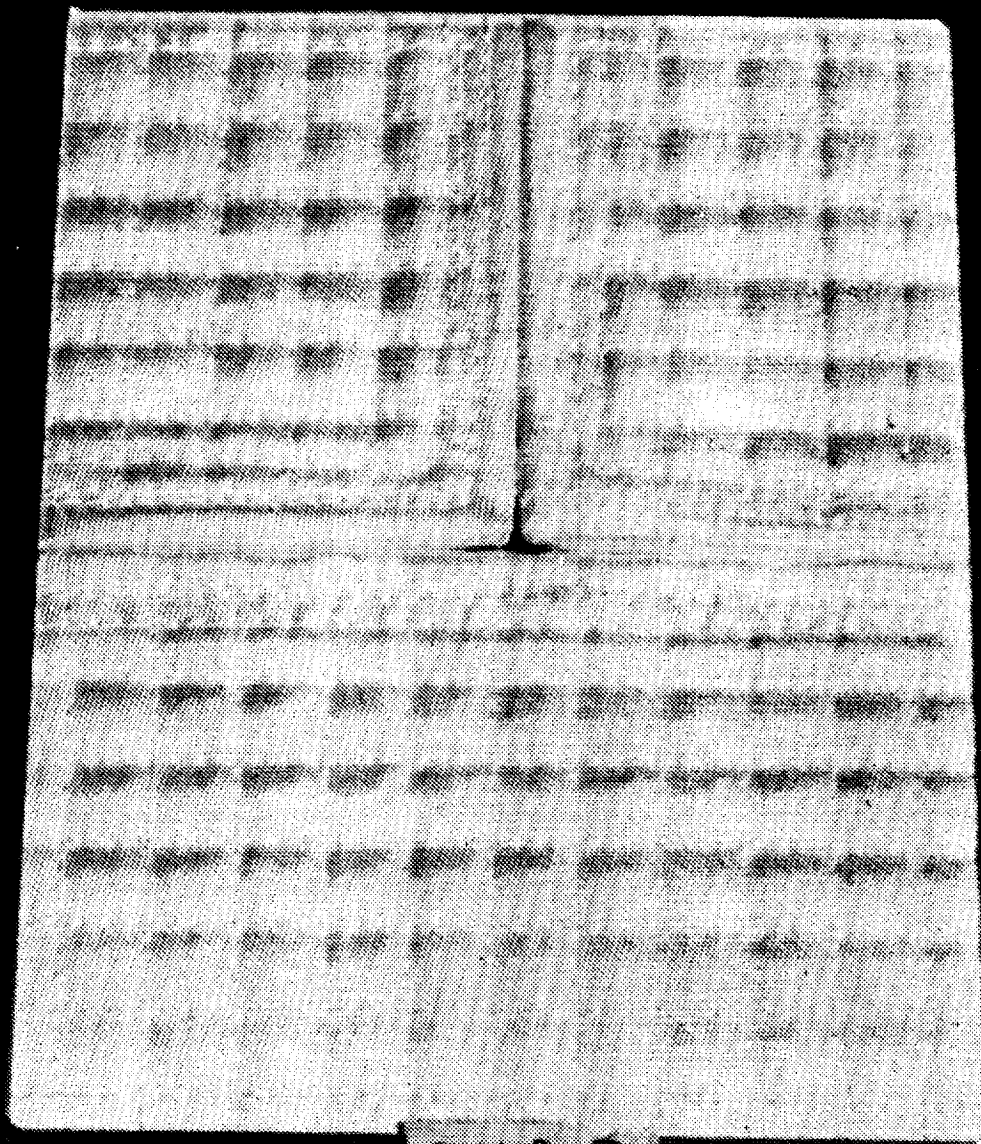


FIGURE 3. TYPICAL PRESSURE COEFFICIENT DATA OS-311 (OS-311-3)

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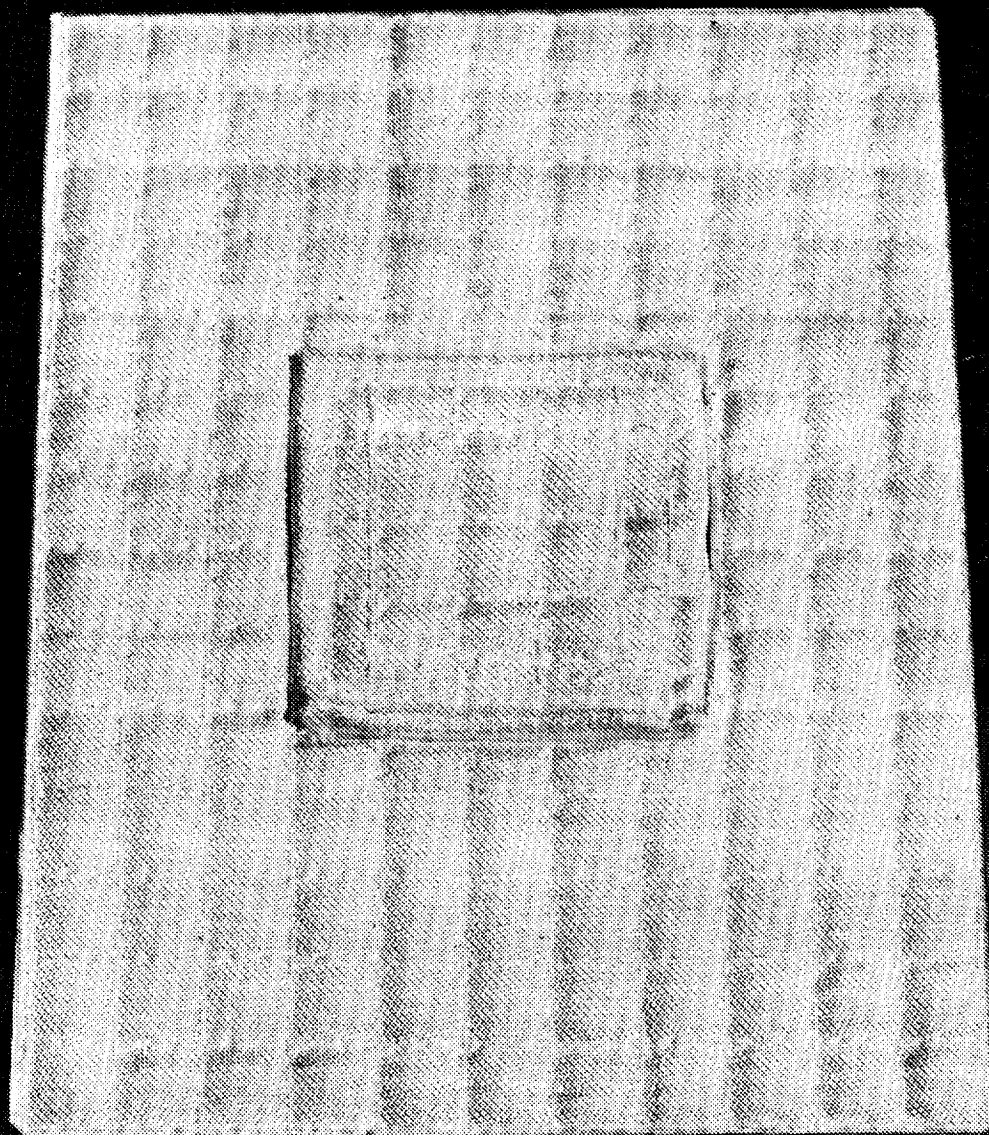
FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS



311A-2
Post Run

1A OS-311-1 SPECIMEN 311A-2 1.0 PSI PRESSURE BONDED BLANKET.

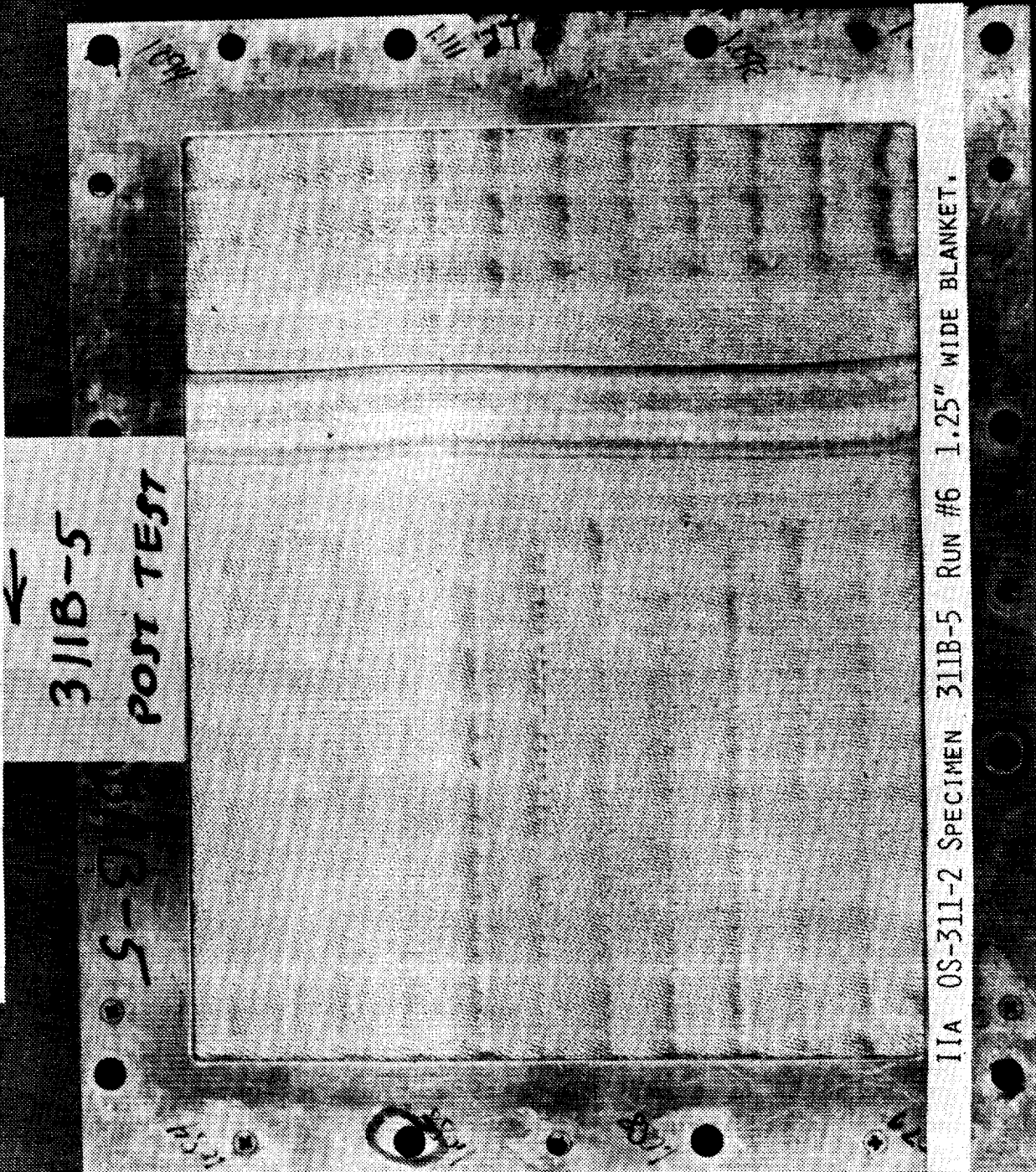
FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS



311A-3
Post Run

IB OS-311-1 SPECIMEN 311A-3 0.25 PSI PRESSURE BONDED W/REPAIR
PLUG.

FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS



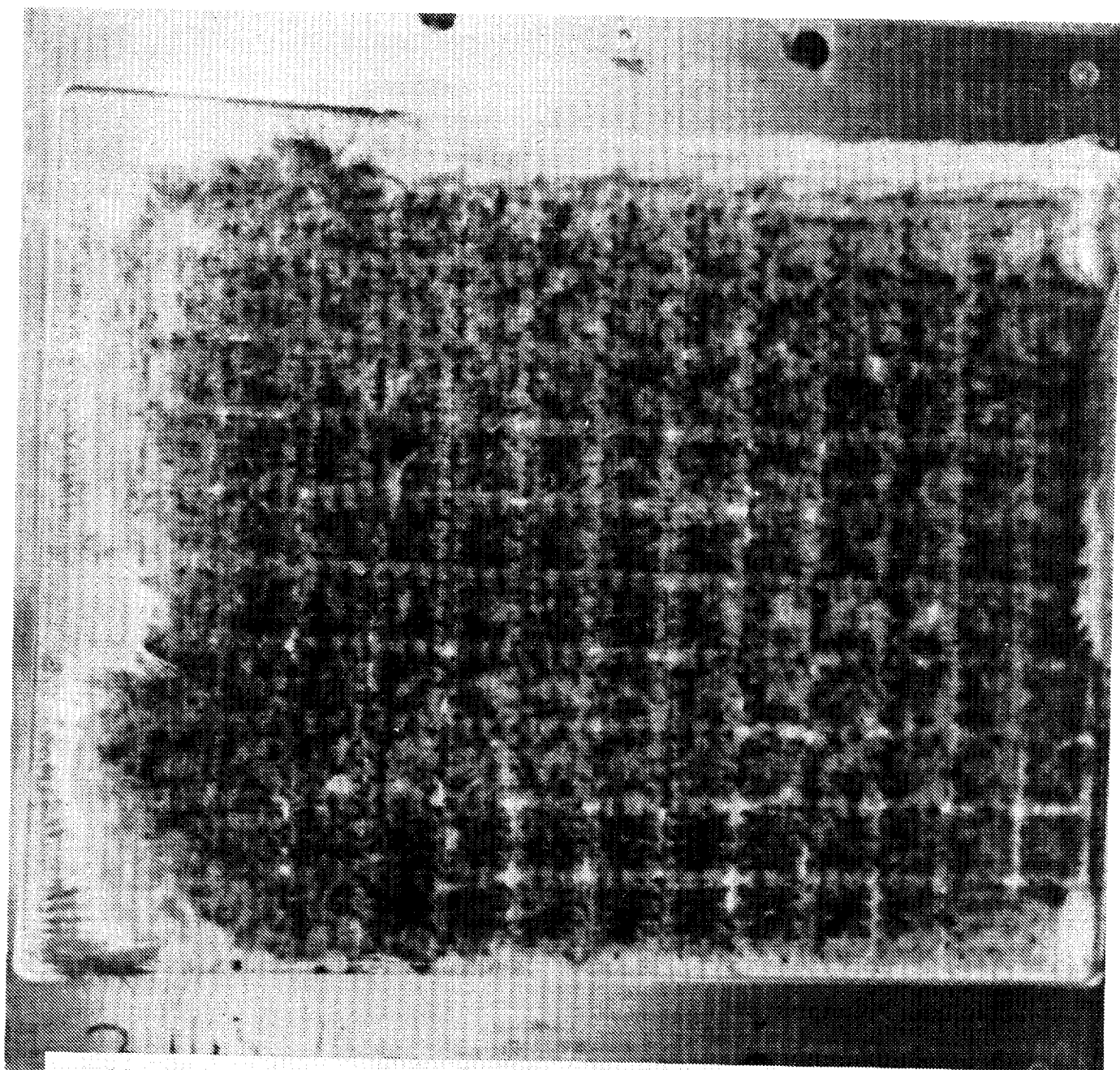
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311B-6
POST TEST

IIB OS-311-2 SPECIMEN 311B-6 RUN #7 1.94" THICK PAD.

FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS

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311B-7
POST TEST

IIC OSS-311-2 SPECIMEN 311B-7 RUN #8 GYPSUM-SEVERAL WEEKS OUTD
(OUTDOORS.)



IId OS-311-2 SPECIMEN B-15 RUN #10 ONE CYCLE PLASMA ARC 1500°F

FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS

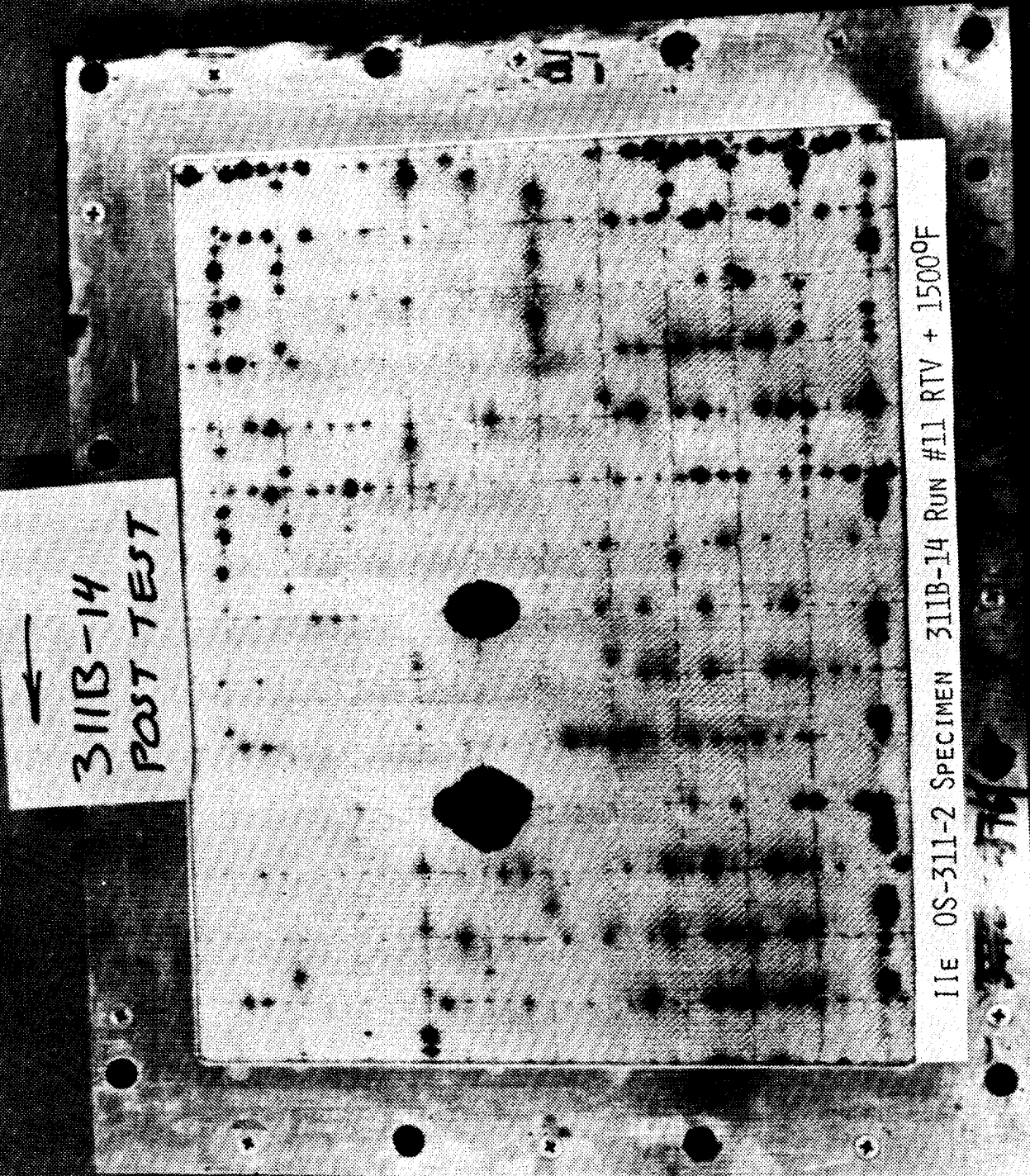
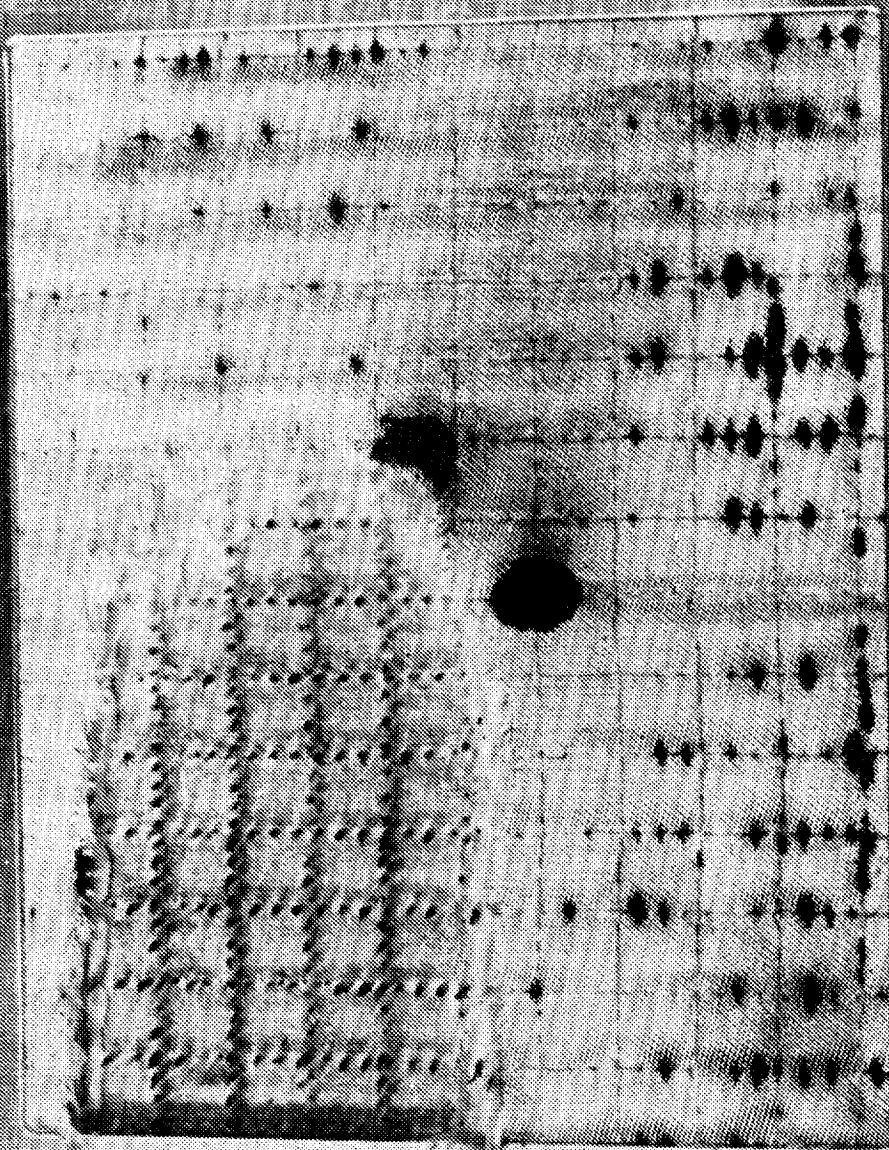


FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS



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311B-4
POST TEST

IIF OS-311-2 SPECIMEN 311B-4 RUN #12 GREASE, RTV, + 15000F

FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS

311B-11
POST TEST

311B-11

IIG OS-311-2 SPECIMEN 311B-11 RUN #13 SALT SPRAY (NS + 1500°F)

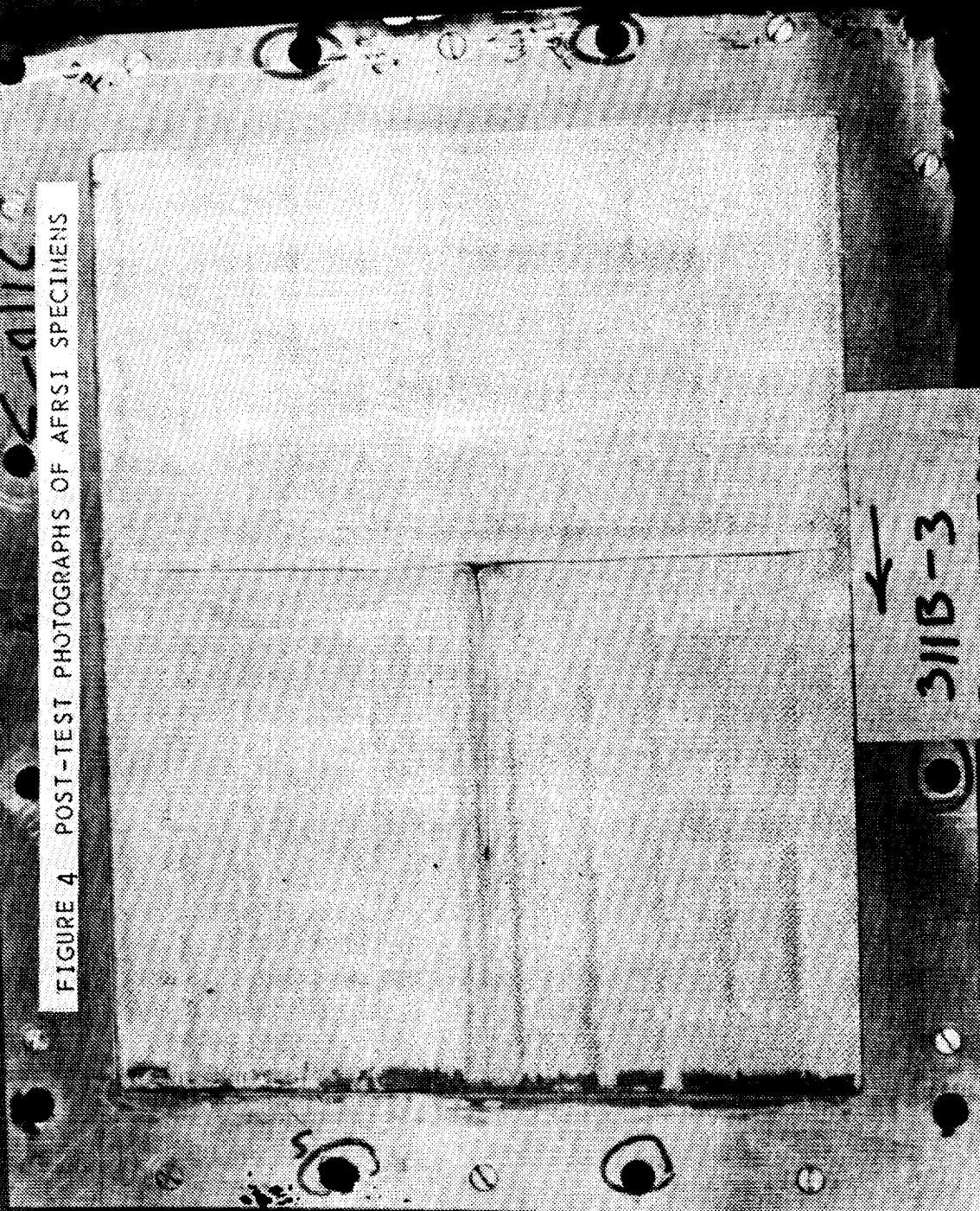
FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS

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311B-2
POST TEST



IIH OS-311-2 SPECIMEN 311B-2 RUN #14 IML STITCHLINES ONLY WERE
TRANSFER-COATED.

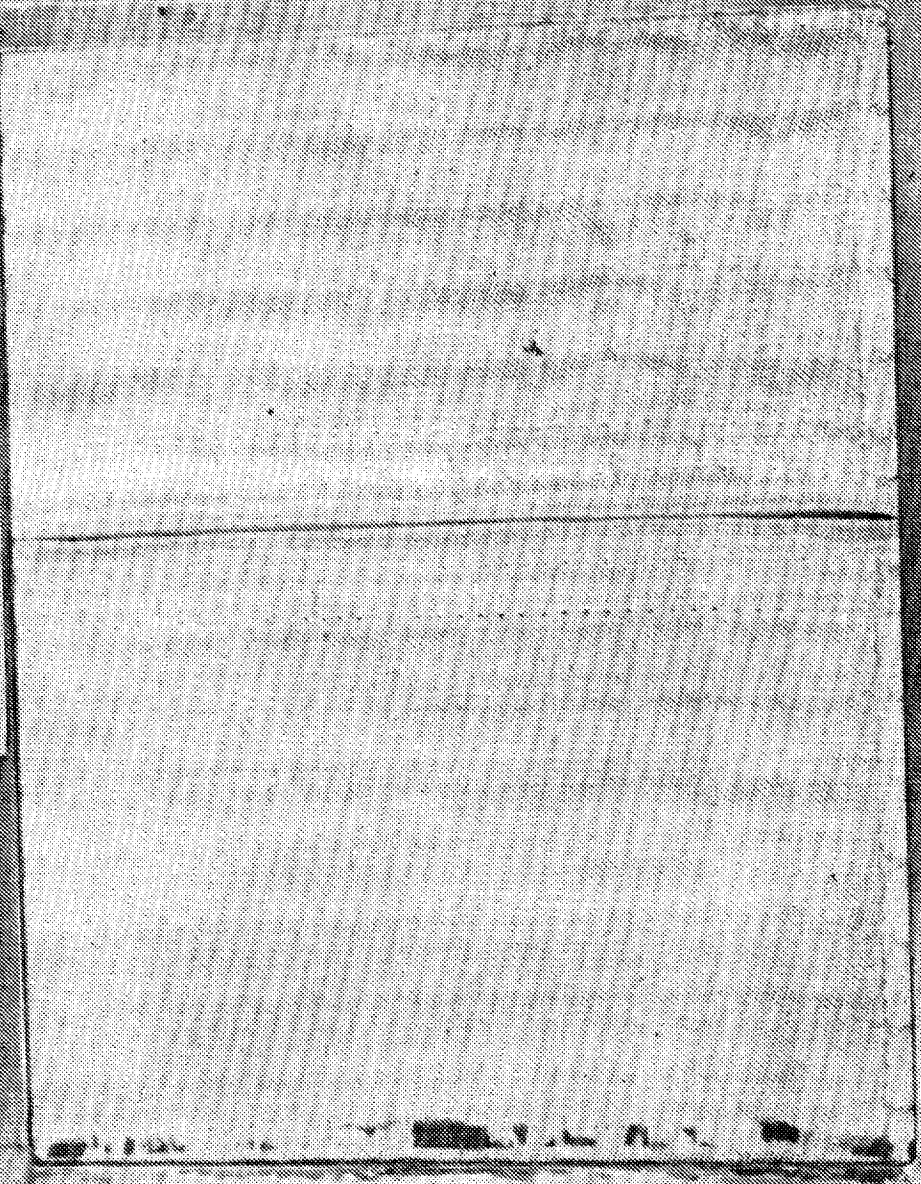
FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS



III OS-311-2 SPECIMEN 311B-3 RUN #15 56% OF IML SURFACE BONDED
TO PLATE.

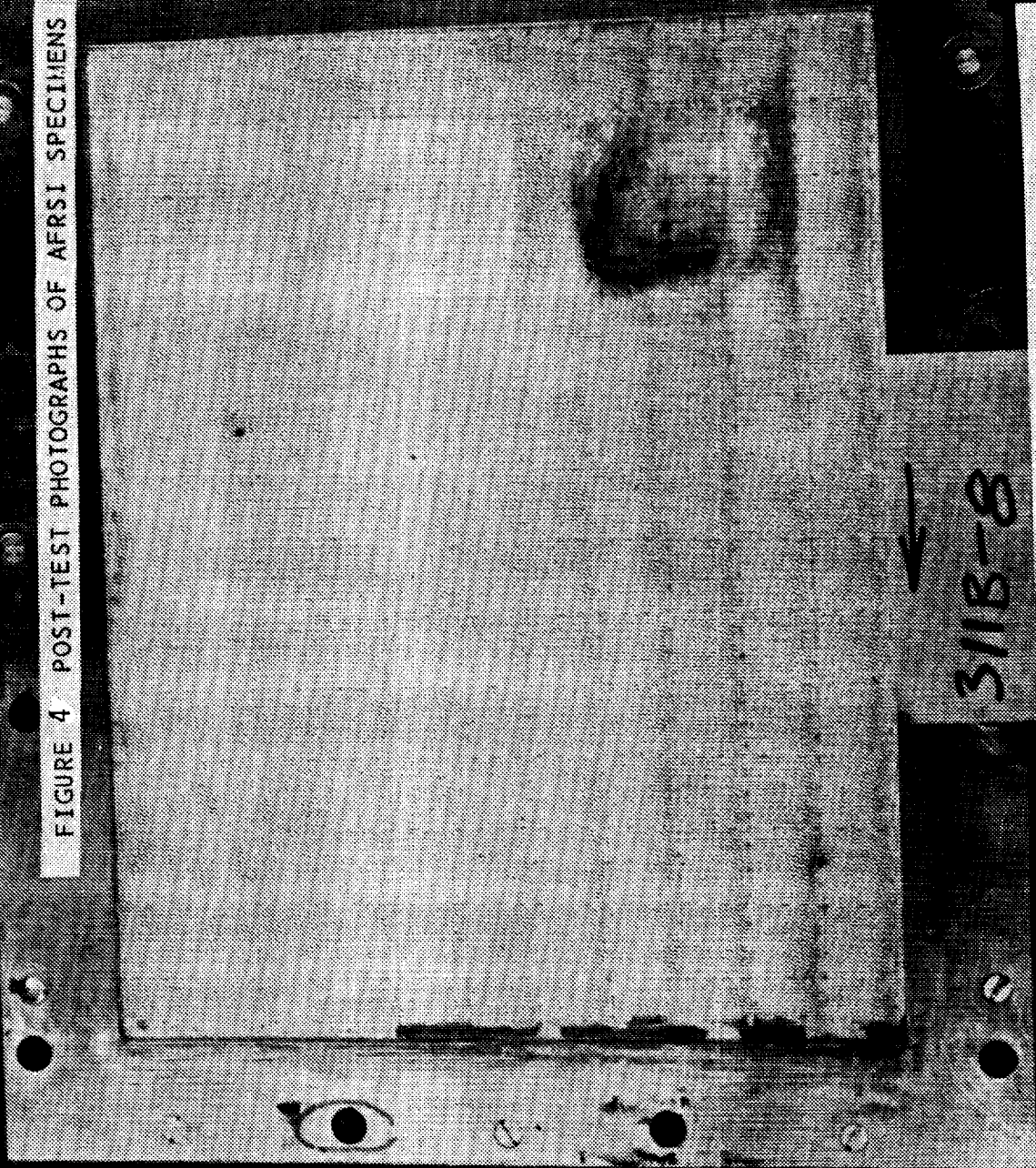
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311B-1
POST TEST

FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS



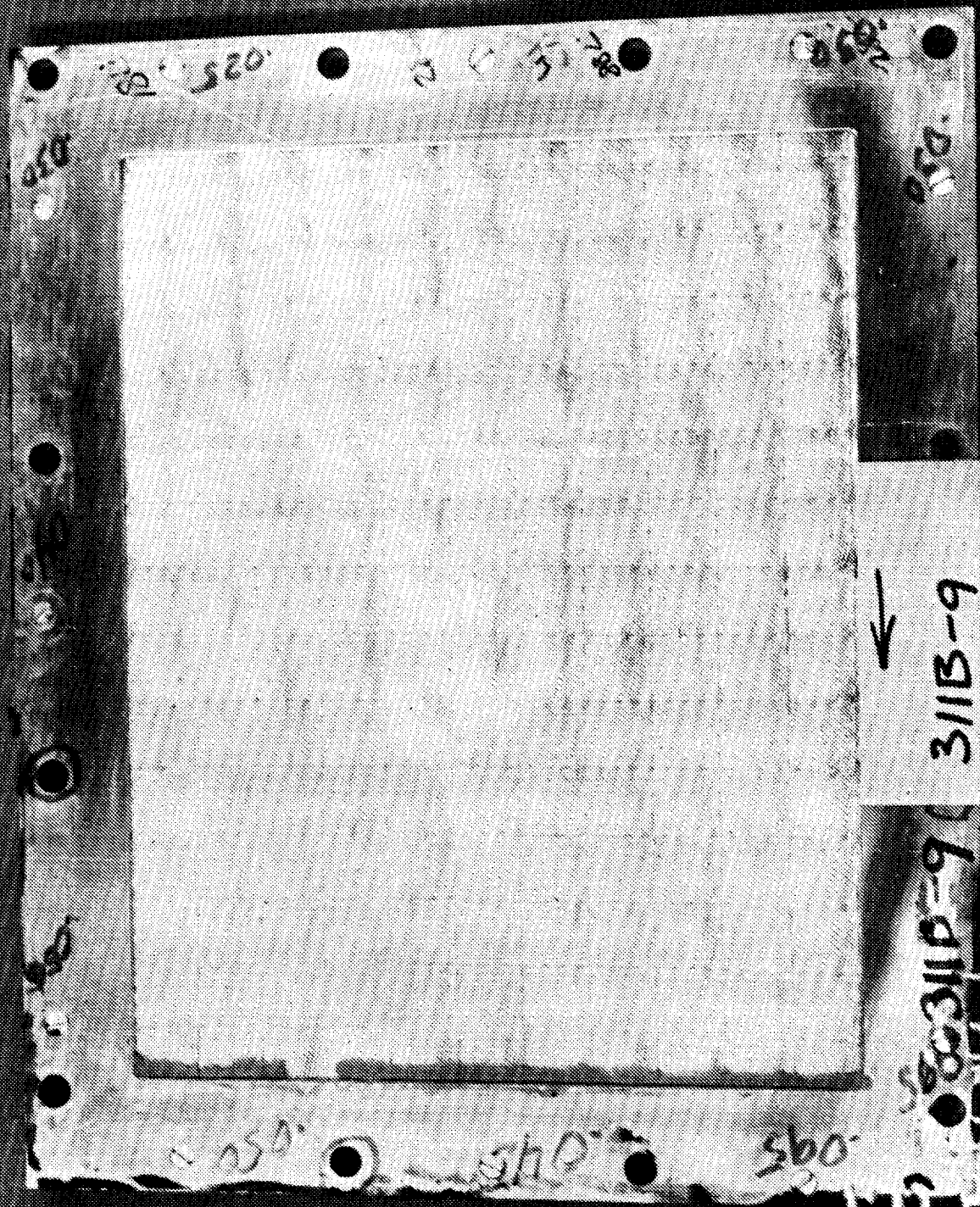
IIJ OS-311-2 SPECIMEN 311B-1 RUN #15 6" STRIP, NO BOND FILLER,
BAR-TO-BLANKET

FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS



IIK 0S-311-2 SPECIMEN 311B-8 RUN #17 SALT SPRAY (HS + 1800°F)

FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS



IIL OS-311-2 SPECIMEN 311B-9 RUN #18 SALT SPRAY (NS + 18000F)

FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS

311B-12
POST TEST

11M OS-311-2 SPECIMEN 311B-12 RUN #19 1/8" PUNCTURE HOLES DAMAGE

FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS

311B-13
POST TEST

311B-13

IIN OS-311-2 SPECIMEN 311B-13 RUN #20 & 21 1.94" THICK PAD

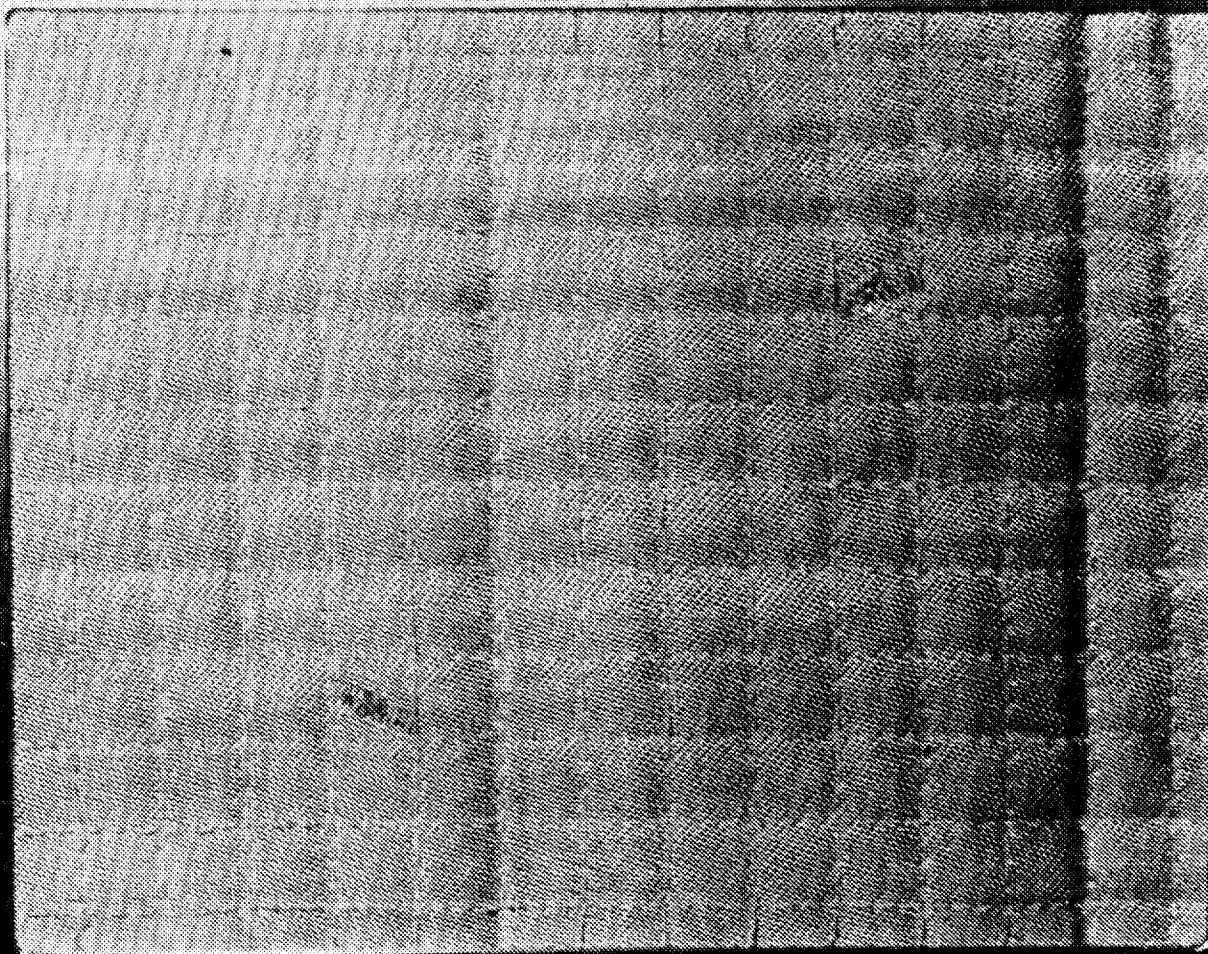
FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFISI SPECIMENS

311B-10
POST TEST

110 OS-311-2 SPECIMEN 311B-10 RUN #22 SALT SPRAY (HS + 1500°F)

FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS

PANEL 311-C1
POST TEST
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IIIA OS-311-3 SPECIMEN 311C-1 1/2" CUT REPAIR - LOOP STITCHING

FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS

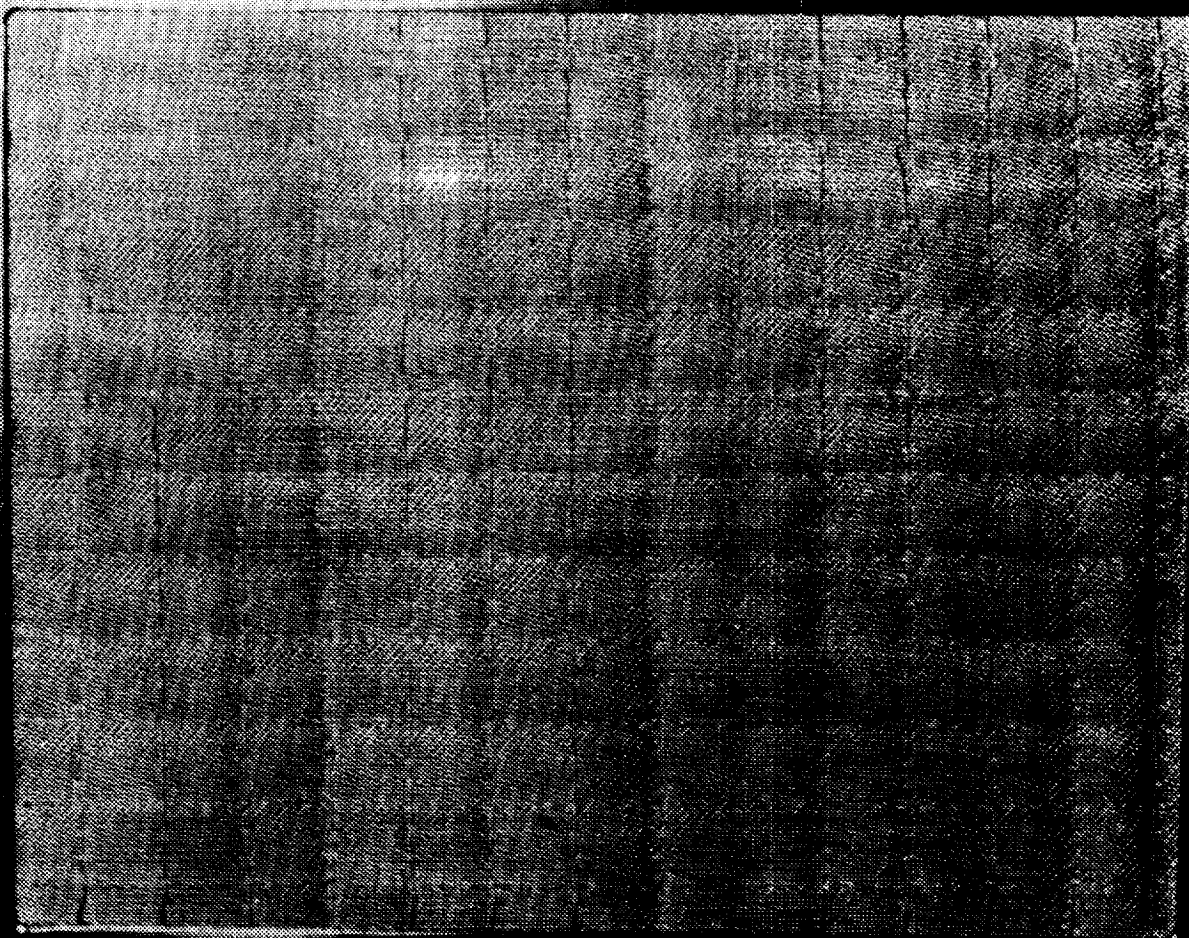
PANEL 311-C2

POST TEST

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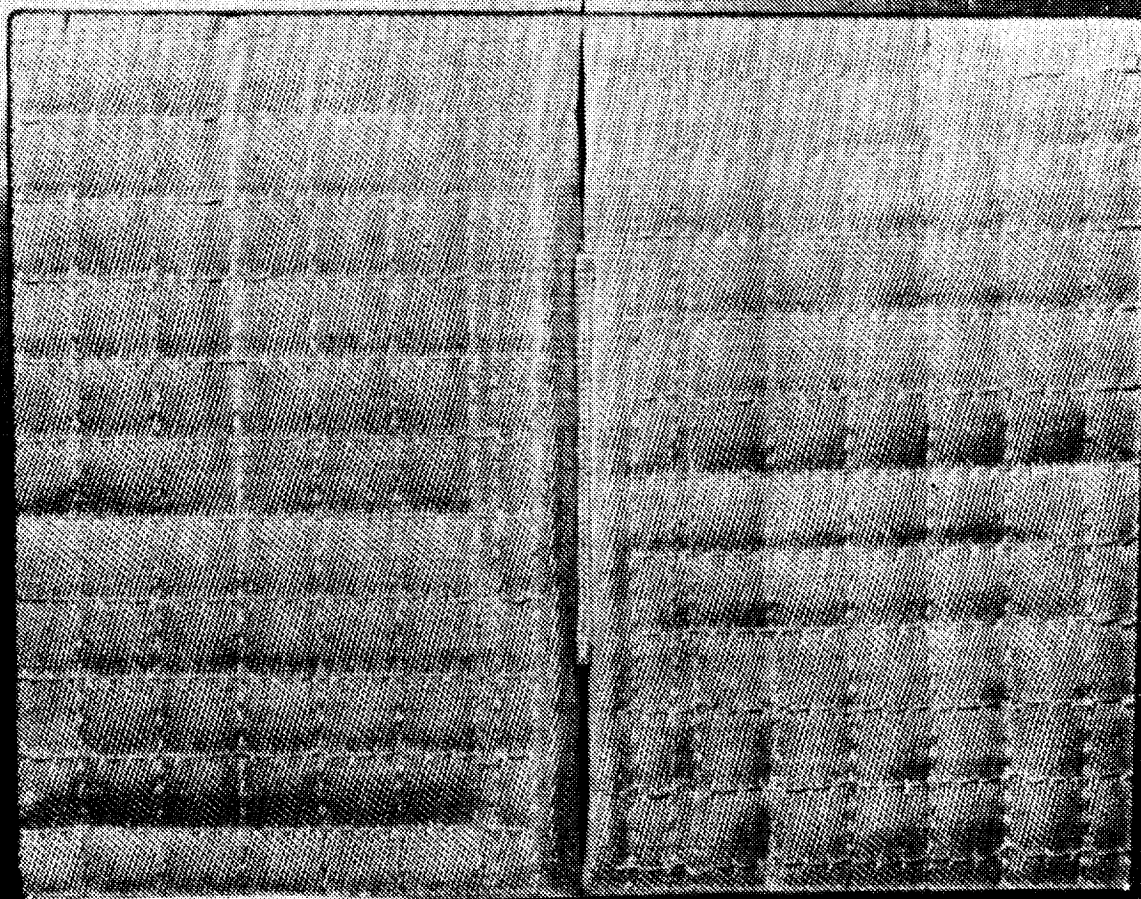
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IIIb OS-311-3 SPECIMEN 311C-2 1/4" OML CUTS

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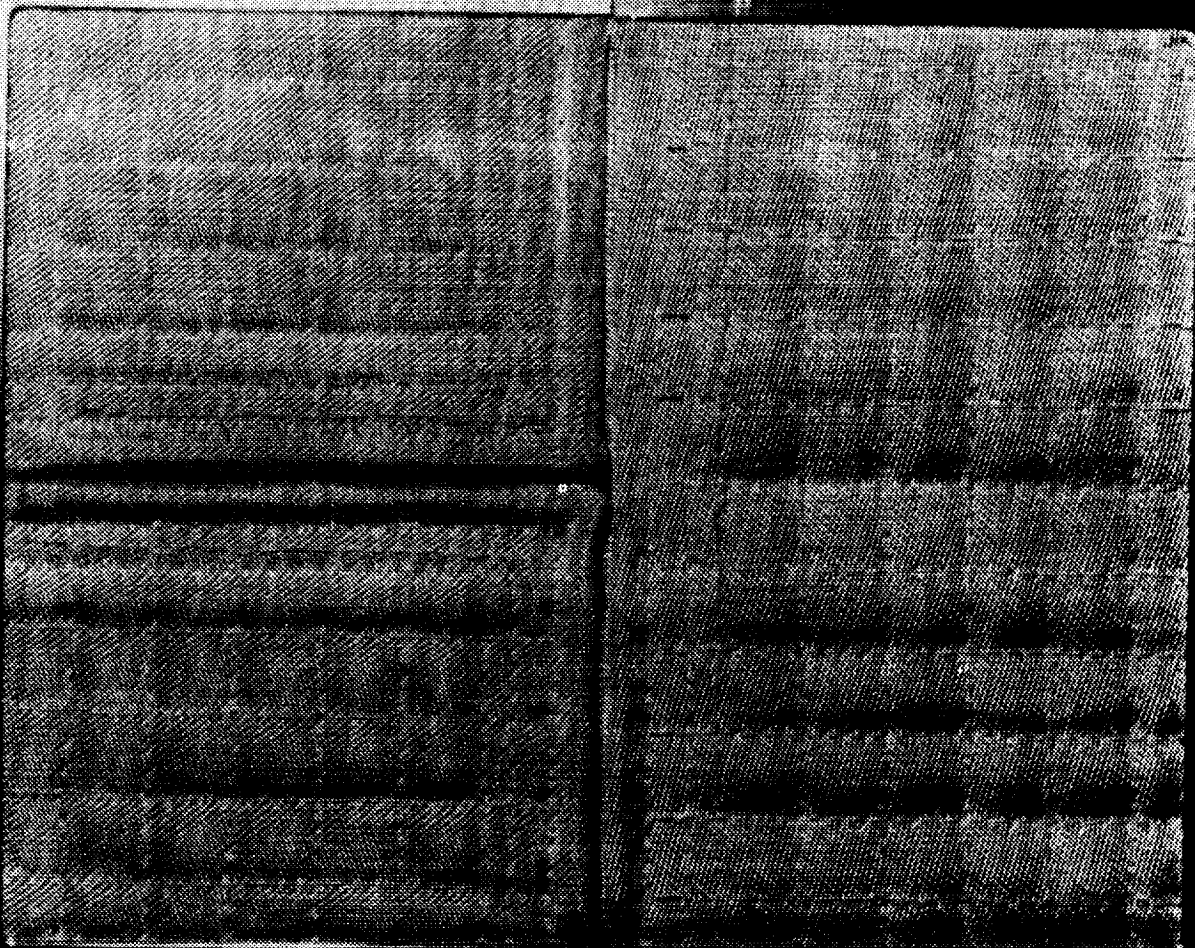
PANEL 311-C3
POST TEST
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IIIc OS-311-3 SPECIMEN 311C-3 RECESSED PILLOW TYPE GAP FILLER

FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS

PANEL 311-C4
POST TEST
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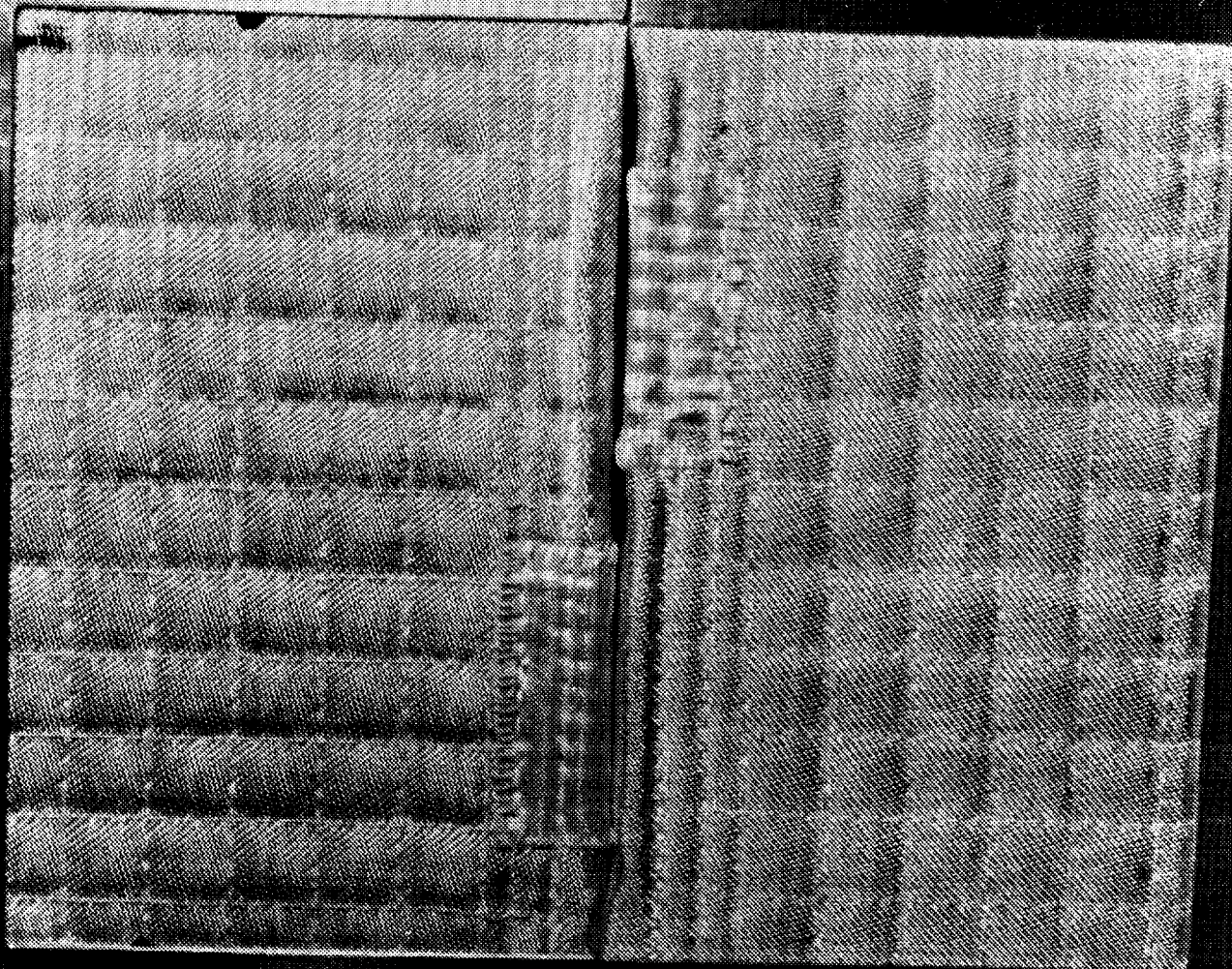
III D OS-311-3 SPECIMEN 311C-4 RECESSED SOLID CORD (0.90", 0.160")
GAP FILLER

FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS

PANEL 311-C5
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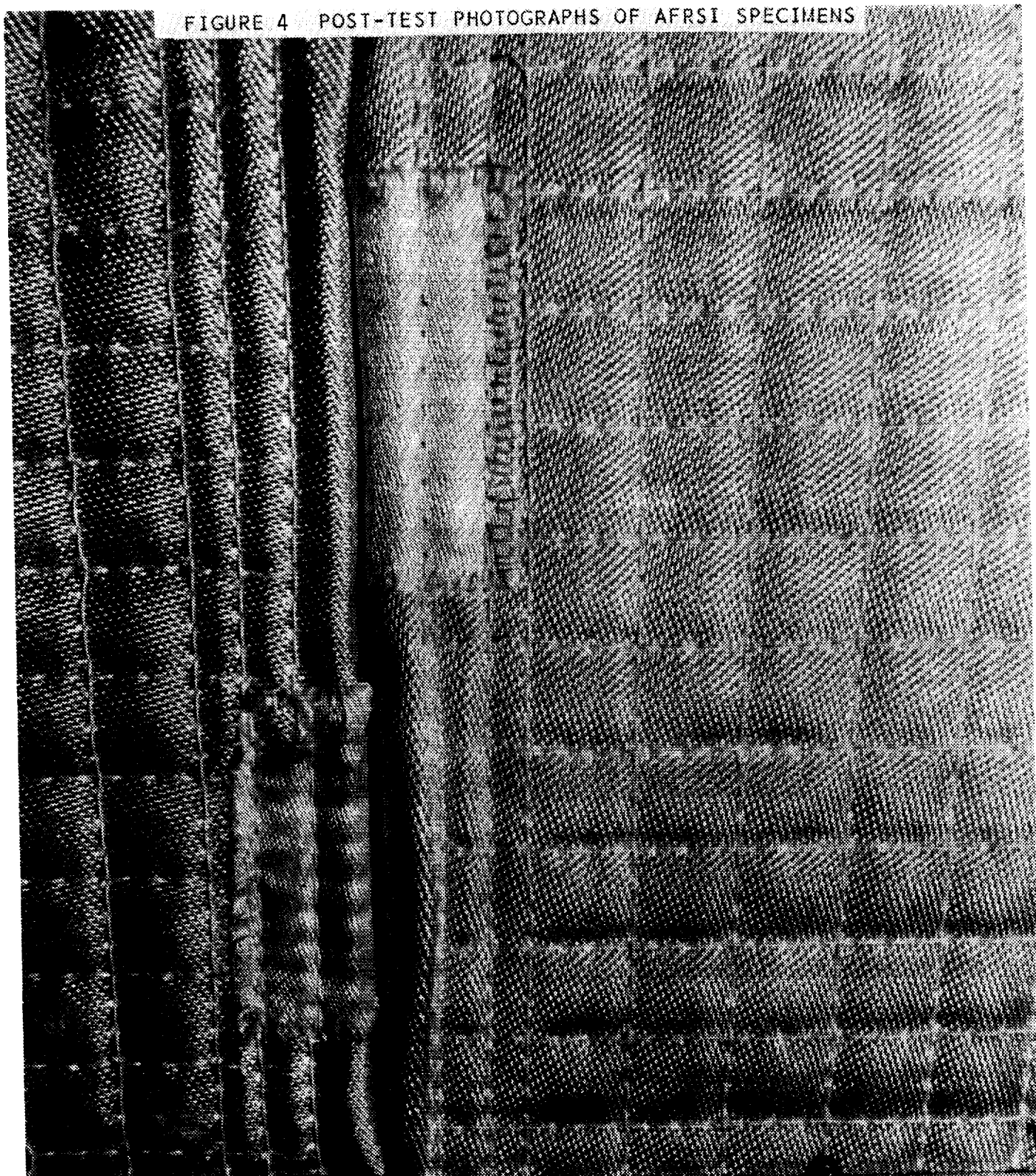


Flow



IIIe OS-311-3 SPECIMEN 311C-5 FABRIC (0.011") SIDE WALL REPAIR

FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS



III F OS-311-3 SPECIMEN 311C-5 CLOSE-UP OF GAP FILLER AND REPAIR

FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS

I/A OS-311-4 SPECIMEN 311-4-1 RUN #4 CONTROL PANEL

311-4-1

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OS 311-4-1
CONTROL
POST TEST
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FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS

IVB OS-311-4 SPECIMEN 311-4-3 RUN #5 BIRD DROPPING

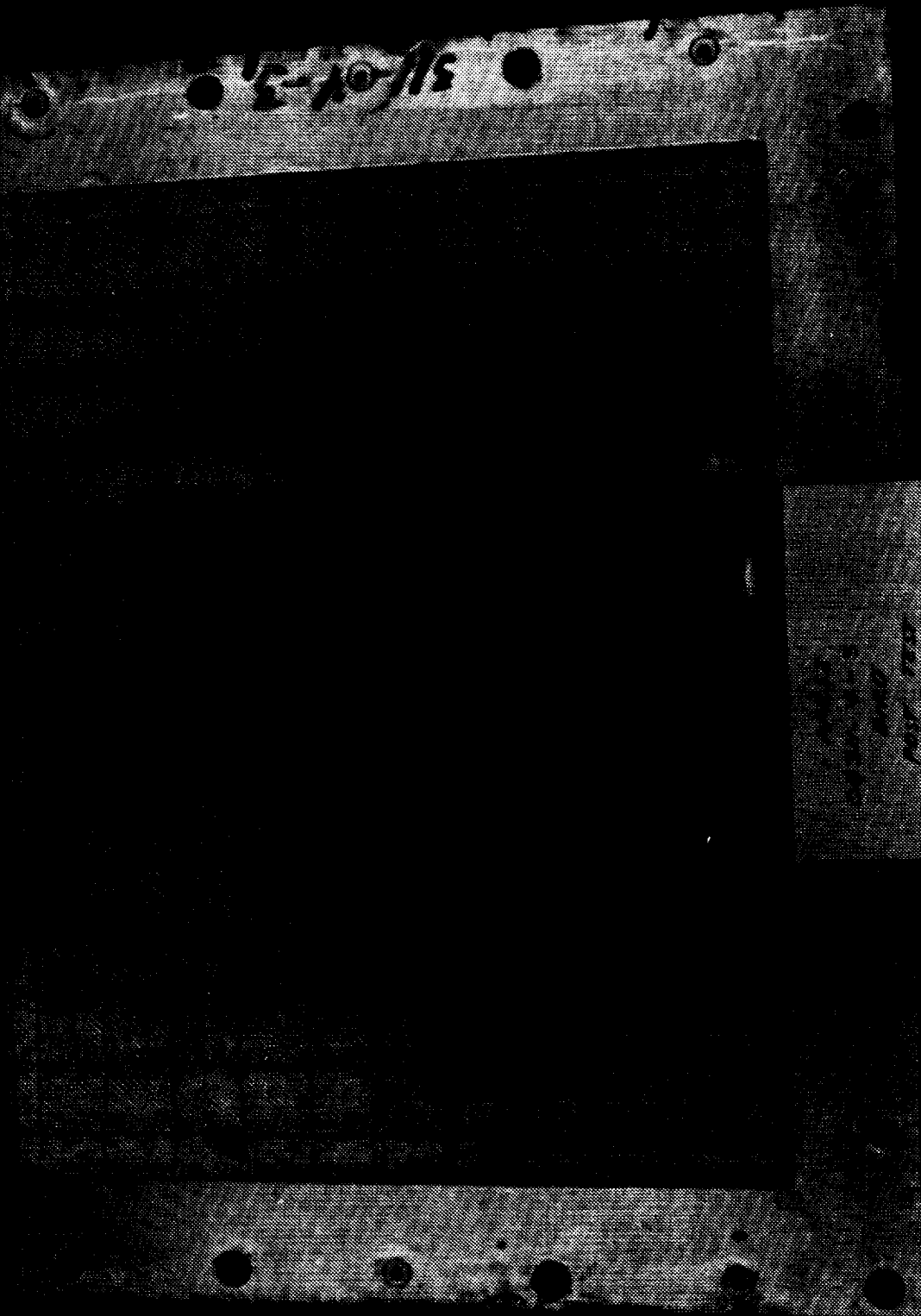
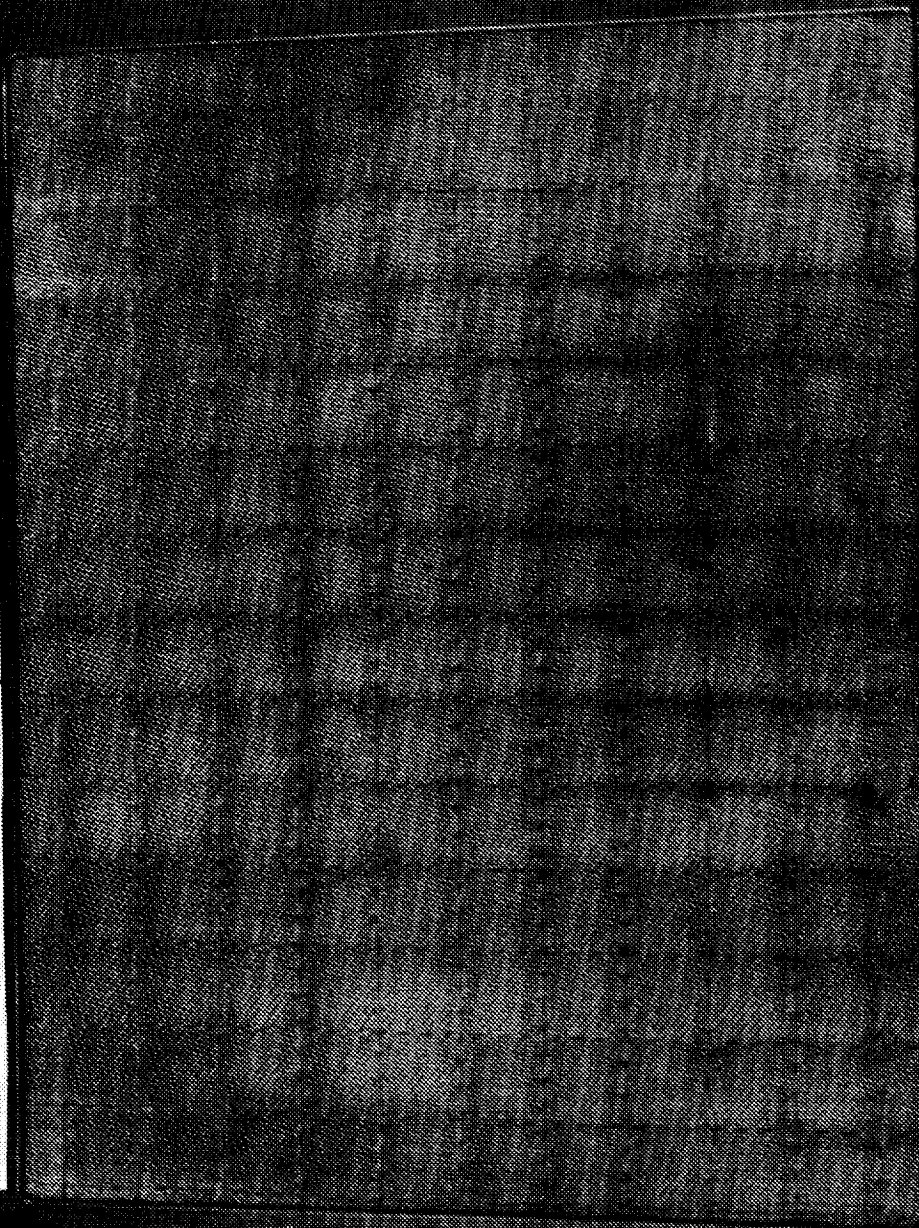


FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS

IVc OS-311-4 SPECIMEN 311-4-4 RUN #6 SALT + 15000F



OS-311-4-4
SALT 15000F
POST TEST
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FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS

IVD OS-311-4 SPECIMEN 311-4-5 RUN #7 SALT + 18000F

FIGURE 4 POST-TEST PHOTOGRAPHS OF AFRSI SPECIMENS

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OS 311-4-6
STS-6 BLANKET
POST TEST
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